Weather Report
Cloudy and rather cold today with snow or sleet tonight, turning to rain with somewhat milder tomorrow.

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COAL OPERATORS' RANKS DIVIDED

Greek Border Probe Is Voted By U. N. Council

Commission Will Be Sent To Balkans Not Later Than January 15

GUERRILLA WARFARE RAGES ON FRONTIER

U. S. Proposal Approved Unanimously; Russia Makes Concessions

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Dec. 19 (AP)—The United Nations Security Council, in a remarkable spirit of harmony, voted unanimously tonight to send a commission to the Balkans to investigate alleged border violations involving Greece and her neighbors and set up machinery for a prompt report on the bloody kuerilla warfare along the Northern Greek frontier.

The Soviet Union, which three months ago vetoed a similar proposal for an investigation of complaints involving Greece, made a number of concessions in the course of two sessions totalling almost nine hours.

Action was completed on the measure, a United States proposal, after the council voted a Polish amendment to invite "liaison" representatives of the four countries involved, to "assist" the commission. Polish Delegate Oscar Lange said the amendment would permit the representatives to cross each other's frontiers and "pierce the iron curtain between them."

Gromyko Abandons Amendment

Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko, in a conciliatory mood throughout, abandoned an amendment which would have limited the membership of the commission's staff, after the council agreed informally that it would have few staff members as possible.

Adoption of the resolution was the first step in an attempt to resolve a problem which has reset the council for months. Three times during the year Greece has been before the council. Three months ago, Russia had vetoed a United States proposal for an investigation, after the Soviet Ukraine had charged that the Greek situation menaced world peace.

The council will take such other steps as are necessary in the dispute between Greece and her neighbors when it has the findings of the commission before it. The commission is directed to proceed to the area involved not later than January 15, 1947, and to report back "at the earliest possible date" on Greek charges that the bordering countries fomented the guerrilla warfare and the neighbor states' counter-charges laying the strife to the royalist-dominated Greek government.

Council To Meet Again Dec. 31

The commission, under terms of a British amendment adopted by the council, will be ordered to recommend whatever steps it deems necessary to prevent recurrence of such disturbances in the area.

Vassili Dendramis, Greek delegate to the United Nations, hailed the decision as one that would "open a new era in application of the charter."

The council adjourned at 8:28 p. m. (EST) and set its next meeting for 3 p. m. December 31—the date set for a report to the members from the United Nations Atomic Commission.

The Atomic Energy Commission, meanwhile, faced a renewed battle tomorrow in the Security Council chamber (10:30 a. m., EST) on American proposals for veto-free punishment for violators of atomic energy controls.

The Political Committee of the commission, meeting today, accepted provisionally a report on proceedings and findings, to be made to the full commission tomorrow. It did not discuss recommendations, however, and did not touch on the

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Maryland Assembly Called Into Special Session December 27

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 19. (AP)—Gov. O'Conor issued a proclamation tonight calling the Maryland General Assemly into special session on Friday, December 27, at 11 a. m. to appropriate approximately $4,000,000 in additional funds needed to carry the state through the fiscal year ending next June 30.

The definite date was set by the Governor following a conference with top state officials.

He announced his intention of calling an emergency session about two weeks ago after he was advised some state institutions would run out of funds before the end of the fiscal year because of the rise in prices and that a special appropriation would have to be made to continue salary increases granted last September.

Steel Union Head Asks Fabricators To Extend Pacts

Agreements Would Be Effective Until Contract Pattern Reached

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19 (AP)—Steel fabricators, which employ approximately 45 per cent of the CIO-United Steel Workers' 853,000 members, today were asked by President Murray to extend existing agreements until a contract pattern is agreed upon by the union and the basic steel industry.

No period for the extension of the present contracts, the majority of which expire next February 15, was set by the steel workers' wage-policy committee in its final session today.

Strike Notices To Be Filed

"Approval of the plan will furnish the smaller unions an opportunity to accept the same terms and conditions provided in the basic steel industry or negotiate for different conditions in such other ways as may be mutually satisfactory to both parties," Murray said.

Meanwhile, strike notices will be filed by January 15 against the more than 1,400 fabricating companies holding contracts with the steel workers union whose expiration date falls on or about February 15, according to Murray.

"This is the same policy we will follow in dealing with the 60 or more basic steel companies," said Murray. "In accord with the Smith-Connally Act, the notices of such action will be sent to the National Labor Relations Board, the Department of Labor and the Wage Stabilization Board."

"Mechanial Operation"

Murray previously had said the filing of the strike notices merely was a "mechanical operation" to protect the union in event no agreement is reached by the time the contract expires.

In effect the steel workers' action gives the smaller unions an opportunity to negotiate separate contracts and thus cover local conditions not applicable to the nation-wide pattern. Murray said that the contracts negotiated with the fabricators might well be retroactive.

Sasscer To Ask Probe Of House Sales To Vets

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — Rep. Sasscer (D-Md) said tonight he would ask Congress to investigate sales of houses to veterans, adding he was motivated by recent developments here.

Sasscer made his statement shortly after three groups of creditors of George H. Williams, who dealt in real estate and homes in nearby Maryland and Virginia as well as in Washington, petitioned district court for a declaration of involuntary bankruptcy for Williams.

Bilbo Denies He Helped Secure Drugs For Man

Narcotics Matter Comes Out Piecemeal From Four Witnesses

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—A story of 10 $100 bills sent to Sen. Theodore G. Bilbo by a man wanting his help in getting narcotics was related to Senate investigators tonight and brought an immediate denial from the Mississippi Senator.

Bilbo also branded as "lies" or "hallucinations" the charges that he profited from relations with war contractors. These charges led to the inquiry by the Senate War Investigating committee.

The matter of the narcotics came out piecemeal from four separate witnesses whose testimony conflicted at points. They were;

Edward Terry, Bilbo's former secretary. He said that Dr. A. J. Podesta, Vicksburg, Miss., told him he gave Bilbo $1,500 for a Natchez, Miss., man who wanted a permit for daily doses of narcotics.

Commissioner Testifies

Dr. Harry J. Anslinger, Federal Commissioner of Narcotics. He testified Bilbo called him to his office on October 11, 1945, about a letter from Podesta with accompanying certificates that a Harry Carr, of Natchez, required a regular supply of drugs.

Harry Holt, special agent for the Treasury. He testified that Terry had informed the Treasury of the alleged payments and he (Holt) had investigated. He said that on April 30, 1946, he interviewed Podesta at Vicksburg.

Podesta told him, Holt related, that he sent the certificate to Bilbo and that Anslinger's office later approved narcotics for Carr, who was described as a sufferer from asthma and other ailments and as a long-time user of narcotics. Holt quoted Podesta as saying that still later Carr told him he wanted to "do something" for Bilbo, so the physician suggested a contribution for Bilbo's Juniper Grove Baptist Church project.

Podesta's Story

Podesta's story, as related by Holt, went on:

Carr gave him some money—it was his recollection it was $1,000—and it was turned over to Bilbo in a Jackson, Miss., hotel.

Holt said that the next day he interviewed in Natchez a man whom he called John Carr and got this account:

He had sought the narcotics permit through Podesta and Bilbo and in December, 1945, made a payment to Podesta. He was uncertain whether it was $1,500 or $1,000. Podesta told him he had to make the payment. Something was said about a church but "the contribution was made to Bilbo personally so far as he was concerned and was in payment for services."

The $1,500 was all the money Carr had accumulated during his lifetime.

W. H. Lane, an investigator for the committee. He said he interviewed Podesta October 18, 1946, and the physician told him that after the narcotics arrangement was made Carr wanted to do something for Bilbo and a church contribution was suggested. Podesta added, according to Lane, that Carr gave him ten $100 bills which were turned over to Bilbo.

Denounces Ex-Secretary

Bilbo, 69-year-old Mississippi Democrat, had been testifying for two and one-half hours, wise-cracking and obviously feeling himself in control of the situation when An-

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Aged Couple Found Dead In Mansion

CLEVELAND, Dec. 19 (AP)—In the faded elegance of their once imposing East Side home, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Roberts—both descendants of early Cleveland families—were found dead today.

After a neighbor reported seeing no one about the house in the past two weeks, Police Lt. Charles Vyse, of East Cleveland, entered by breaking a downstairs window.

A large black and white dog led Vyse to an upstairs room, the only one of 20 rooms which appeared to have been used recently, but would not let him enter. The officer said he was forced to shoot the dog.

Vyse reported the body of Mrs. Roberts, about 85, was lying on a bed and the fully-clothed body of her husband, about 65, was in a kneeling position alongside. There was no indication of violence, and both had been dead about two weeks, the police officer estimated.

Two-Pants Suits Will Return; OTC Lifts Ban

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The Office of Temparary Controls today lifted the four-year-old ban on manufacture of two-pants suits as well as the prohibition on vests for double-breasted suits. The action is effective tomorrow.

The Civilian Production Administration division of OTC said that the restrictions, imposed in wartime, are no longer necessary because of increased production of men's and boys' clothing.

CAPTURE BANDITS—Chief of Police Burza Hanlon, Westernport, (upper right) is shown here talking with Lloyd E. Norris, Pennsylvania avenue grocer who identified Robert Logue (lower left) and Harry Schimminger (lower right) as the two men who held up and robbed his grocery store here last Saturday night. Chief Hanlon and Patrolman Earl Hawk captured the pair in Westernport last night, a few minutes after they held up Kern's Grocery on Hammond and Rock streets. (See story page 32)

Two Airliners Carrying 84 Persons Land Safely After Mid-Air Collision

Plane Passenger Becomes Casualty Following Crash

ABERDEEN, Md., Dec. 19. (AP)—Miss Lois Gaybill, 18, Wenatchee, Wash., one of the 21 passengers of the Universal Airlines plane who escaped injury in a collision with another airliner tonight, became a casualty later.

As she was entering the officers mess at the Aberdeen Proving Ground, she tripped, skinned her knee—and ruined a new pair of nylons.

Big Planes Are Slightly Damaged; Occupants, Shaken By Narrow Escape, Praise Pilots

ABERDEEN, Md., Dec. 19 (AP) — Eighty-four persons had an unprecedented brush with swift death tonight when two Miami-bound airliners collided here in mid-air but the pilots landed both ships safely and no one, incredibly, was even scratched.

One plane was a big four-engined DC-4 of Eastern Airlines with 56 passengers and four crew members. Its tail was damaged but the pilot, J. B. Kuhn, Miami, flew it on to a smooth landing at National Airport in Washington where fire engines, ambulances and other emergency vehicles had been mustered but proved not to be needed.

The other was a two-engined ship of Universal Airlines, which operates so-called "non-scheduled" service from New York to Miami and Puerto Rico, with 21 passengers and a crew of three. The windshield of its cockpit was caved in, a hole was driven into the fuselage above the cockpit, and its radio and hydraulic system were knocked out, but its pilot, Henry Norris, brought it down safely at the Army post field here.

Crew Members Praised

The occupants of both planes, shaken at looking back upon their narrow escape, reported little if any excitement or confusion at the time and showered praises upon the crew members.

One passenger of the EAL plane, Ben J. Slutzky, Ellenville, N. Y., announced a present of $500 to the crew and invited his fellow-passengers to a "Survivors' Party" at the Copacabana night club in Miami.

Never before have two airliners headed in the same direction been in such a mishap. Federal safety regulations require planes flying in

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NFTW Will Seek $12 Week Raise

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 — The National Federation of Telephone Workers tonight announced demands it estimated would cost the telephone industry $247,000,000 to $249,000,000 a year.

Joseph A. Beirne, president of the independent union, told a news conference the demands, including a $12 a week raise for all workers, constitute "our strike demands for the present."

The union fixed a strike date for April 7 but Beirne said he expects an agreement before then.

Additional demands include a union shop and dues checkoff arrangements, reduced geographical wage differentials, and improved vacations and pensions.

Beirne said the union's $12 raise demand is based partly on a need for an increase to meet higher living costs and partly to adjust telephone workers wages with those in other industries. He reported the union had made a wage comparison with 10 other industries in arriving at the figure.

Flying Boat Expert Asks World Route

Marylander Describes His Plan As National Security Project

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The Navy's foremost exponent of flying boats applied today for 57,000 miles of air routes he proposes eventually to operate as a civilian, encircling the globe with seaplanes, flying both directions twice a week.

Capt. C. A. "Dutch" Schildhauer, now air traffic co-ordinator for the Naval Air Transport Service, filed an application with the Civil Aeronautics Board for authority to carry passengers, mail and cargo, using only water terminals. Home bases would be at New York and Baltimore, with stops at New Orleans and San Francisco.

Schildhauer told the CAB that "operation of waterborne aircraft wherever practical is essential to meet the needs of national security." He proposed that all flight personnel and a maximum number of ground employes be members of reserve forces of the Army or Navy.

The aircraft would be the latest type of Martin Mars, developed for the Naval Air Transport Service and suitable as naval auxiliaries in an emergency.

The proposed routes would cross the North Atlantic, the Mediterranean, Arabian sea, Bay of Bengal, South China sea, Pacific ocean, Gulf of Mexico and Chesapeake bay.

Schildhauer, who makes his home at Owings Mill, Md., said he would remain on active duty with the Navy until next July, but filed now to obtain an early CAB hearing.

"Missing" Design Engineer Has Been Working In Capital

METUCHEN, N. J., Dec. 19. (AP)—Dr. Justin F. Wait, internationally known design engineer, has been in Washington working on a medical research problem while police of 13 eastern states searched for him, his wife said tonight.

The report that he had disappeared resulted from "a misunderstanding," she said. He was given a semi-secret assignment by an executive of Merck and Company, pharmaceutical firm by which he is employed, and the executive left the next day for Brazil.

Dr. Wait started on his assignment, in connection with the development of improved production of streptomycin, and dropped out of sight, because his assignment had not been disclosed to others, Mrs. Wait said Merck officials advised her.

Arriving home late tonight Dr. Wait said he had learned of the wide search for him only when a friend telephoned today and read him newspaper clippings describing it.

Federal Probers Of Mass Lynching Report Failure

Grand Jury Unable To Establish Identity Of Guilty Persons

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 19. (AP)—A federal grand jury reported today after a three-week investigation inability to establish the identity of any persons guilty of participating in the mass lynching of four negroes in nearby Walton county last July 25.

Receiving the report, United States Judge T. Hoyt Davis refused to discharge the jury but ruled it would be recessed "subject to recall."

The victims of the lynching were Roger Malcom and his wife and George Dorsey and his wife. The brutal crime was followed by offers of rewards for the arrest and conviction of the mob members which now total more than $30,000.

In a carefully phrased statement, the jury said it had centered its attention "on establishing the identity of individuals," connected with the slayings near Monroe, about 40 miles east of Atlanta.

The 21 white and two negro members of the jury were told by Judge Davis that "in this situation, I have concluded that it is not the wise thing for me to discharge this grand jury."

"It has been a voluminous matter and it may be that additional information could or will be brought to light," the judge said, "and if that situation should arrive x x x I would want this grand jury to hear the matter."

The grand jury had said:

"The members of this body are unanimous in reporting that we have been unable to establish the identity of any person or persons participating in the murders or in any violation of the civil rights statutes of the United States."

Talmadge Near Turning Point Of His Illness

ATLANTA, Dec. 19 (AP)—Georgia's colorful, "white supremacy" governor-elect, Eugene Talmadge, lay tonight in near-critical condition from a recurring stomach ailment.

The 62-year-old farmer-lawyer, who won the Democratic nomination last summer by shouting his determination to bar negroes from the ballot box in Georgia, was conscious but dangerously ill. Members of his family were summoned after a fresh setback last night, and although he rallied slightly after two blood transfusions, grave anxiety was expressed by friends.

An authoritative source said it appeared that Talmadge would pull through, but the next 48 hours were regarded as decisive.

Three Of Five Groups Offer To Negotiate

60 Per Cent Of Mine Owners Favor Immediate Talks With Lewis

SOUTHERN, FAR WEST OPERATORS OPPOSE

Majority Willing To Act Without Waiting For Court Decision

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The soft coal operators split ranks tonight, breaking up for the present their national wage committee, and producers of 60 per cent of the nation's bituminous coal expressed willingness to negotiate immediately for a new contract with John L. Lewis.

All but the Southern and Far Western producing groups joined in a statement offering to negotiate a new contract directly with Lewis "at any convenient time."

Charles O'Neill, head of the Northern Appalachian operators and chief spokesman for the majority, said that so far as the mine owners were concerned they would be willing to open conversations with Lewis immediately—without waiting for a Supreme Court decision on validity of the $3,510,000 fines against Lewis and the United Mine Workers for contempt of court.

Committee Adjourns Sine Die

The fines grew out of the recent strike. When Lewis called off the strike he announced his willingness to open negotiations for a new contract. The mines are now being operated by the government, as a result of last spring's strike. The government has a contract with Lewis but has long desired to see the operators and Lewis get together so it could relinquish control.

The National Bituminous Coal Negotiating Committee, the operators' organization, was adjourned tonight sine die—not to be reconvened except by unanimous votes of its five geographical groups.

These groups include the Northern Appalachian, which includes Central and Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Northern West Virginia; the Midwest, which includes Illinois deep and strip mines and Indiana deep and strip mines; and the captive mines of the steel industry, dominated by United States Steel Corporation, all of which were in favor of opening negotiations at once for return of their mines from the government.

Nine-Hour Session

The Southern Coal Producers' Association and the producers west of the Mississippi river, producing about 35 per cent and five per cent, respectively, were opposed to beginning negotiations at this time.

Tonight's development was disclosed to reporters after nine hours of continuous conversations by the operator representatives. Henry Warden, vice president of the American Coal Company of Allegheny county, a West Virginia firm, explained that the split-up did not occur because of a difference of opinion about negotiating with Lewis but "it was just a question of timing."

Warden said that because the government was engaged in a court controversy with Lewis and because of the "disturbed labor relations picture generally" negotiations should not be undertaken right now.

Lewis called off the recent 17-day strike until March 31. Warden said that if the balance of the industry achieved a contract with the miners in the near future he supposed the South "would have to seek an agreement also."

Burke Urged Negotiations

The division in the national committee followed the resignation on Dec. 3 of Edward R. Burke, president of the Southern Association. There had been sharp disagreement over his statement that negotiations with Lewis should begin at once in

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New York's "About-Towners" Will Need $125 A Couple On New Year's

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—If you'd like to take your girl, or even your wife, out on the town in Manhattan New Year's Eve, it probably will cost you a neat little pile of folding money—say about $125.

This may be the last year of the easy-come, easy-go wartime spending boom, as some of the night life pundits believe, but the prices quoted for the year end celebration show no signs of receding.

You could start the evening with dinner at the Colony, one of the swankiest of the East Side eateries, where the usual a la carte prices will prevail and where you should be sure of at least a glimpse of Mrs. Astorbilt along with the entree. The dinner tab probably would be about $25 for two.

Then you might take in one of the reigning Broadway hits, possibly Ingrid Bergman's "Joan of Lorraine" or Ethel Merman's "Annie Get Your Gun." Orchestra seats for two—$19.20.

The curtain comes down about 11:15, which will just give you time to hustle into a taxi for El Morocco, the night club with the Zebra stripes and the sophisticated clientele.

The tariff there for a couple is $35, which entitles you to a table guaranteed to be at least large enough to hold two glasses, supper, a paper hat, noisemakers and atmosphere.

The latter may get a little thick as the morning wears on.

Note that such items as tips and, oh yes, drinks, are not included in the $35. The chances of your bill's being less than $70 are fairly slim.

Add in the cost of taxis and other essentials, such as a small package of aspirin, and the $125 estimate seems reasonable.

Of course, there's always Times Square. Anyone who doesn't want to get his feet smashed, his ribs cracked and his eardrums assaulted in the steaming atmosphere of a night club can join 999,999 others and have exactly the same operations performed in the chilly air of the Square.

Wives Who Pay

Law Breaks Up Marriage Racket

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 29 (AP)—A 62-year-old man, giving his "real" name as Mallie Burton Carroll, awaited examining trial here today on a charge of bigamy.

Behind him, according to Commonwealth's Attorney James Park, was a criminal record carried in documents an "inch thick."

Mrs. Katie Spotswood, Lexington, who brought him back to Lexington on a warrant charging him with marrying and jilting her and leaving with more than $400 cash and some valuable jewelry, told officers today:

"I hope they put him on a limb."

M. W. McFarlin, special agent in charge of the Louisville office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said Carroll wooed, wed and left no fewer than four women in Kentucky—all of them elderly and most of them possessing money and jewels which they entrusted to him.

Constable Riggs Sullivan said the man had $10,147.10, nine valuable rings, an assortment of costume jewelry, pens, pencils and papers of all kinds when he was taken Tuesday from a Cincinnati-bound train in Louisville. With him at the time, Sullivan said, was a woman by the name of Sadie Nichols, Memphis, Tenn.

Carroll authorized payment of $1,600 to the Nichols woman which she had advanced him, Sullivan said.

Mrs. Spottswood said she gave Carroll nothing when they were wed (under the name of Walter T. Williams) but that she was missing more than $400 in money, a $1,500 turquoise and diamond ring and other belongings.

Wife Slayer Sentenced To 10-Year Prison Term

ROCKVILLE, Md., Dec. 19 (AP) — Homer Hendricks, 46, tax attorney, today was sentenced to 10 years imprisonment for the slaying of his wife, Gertrude, 42, in their Bethesda, Md., home October 2.

It was the maximum sentence under a jury verdict convicting Hendricks, a former member of the Texas legislature, of manslaughter.

Hendricks had pleaded self defense and temporary insanity at the time his wife was shot to death in her bedroom.

Judge Charles W. Woodward, in sentencing Hendricks, asserted that he and two other judges were of the opinion that the insanity plea was "completely frivolous and had been submitted in an attempt to befuddle and confuse the jury." He added there was no evidence of self defense.

Wave Of Disastrous Fires Brings Many Schemes To Combat Menace

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP) — The wave of disastrous fires in 1946, including two of the most tragic hotel blazes in the nation's history, has brought a corresponding flood of schemes to combat the menace, a national fire insurance official said today.

However, A. C. Hutson, assistant chief engineer of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, said he regarded most of the proposal as "wild" and insisted they did not get to the root of the problem.

"All sorts of things have been suggested—enlarged sprinkler systems, equipping fire departments with circus nets, hiring fire watchmen for all hotels," he said.

"But there is one absolute essential for safety in hotels, taller office buildings and clubs, and that is prevention of all passageway flame and fire from floor to floor by closing up the stairways."

The key structural change required, Hutson declared, is placing of heavy fire doors at the passageway connecting stairways with the corridors on each floor. Most modern buildings have these doors, he said.

The Atlanta Winecoff Hotel disaster which took 119 lives in the early hours of Dec. 7 was the worst conflagration in the 88-year-old records of the National Fire Protection Association.

The third largest number of persons ever to lose their lives in a hotel blaze in the United States was 61, the total of the fire at the La Salle Hotel in Chicago on June 5 this year.

Another disastrous fire occurred a few days later, on June 10, at the Canfield Hotel in Dubuque, Iowa, when 15 persons perished.

Fire was the contributing cause in the recent tenement collapse tragedy here in Upper Manhattan. A five-alarm blaze in an ice plant caused a massive concrete wall to crumple and crush the rear half of the tenement. Thirty-seven bodies eventually were recovered from the debris.

New Home Sought For Fort Wayne "Coal Bin Baby"

Two-Week-Old Infant And Mother Are Removed To Hospital

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 19 (AP)—In the Christmas spirit, men of good will today sought a new home for Bebe Ana Gamez, born two weeks ago in as humble a place as that in which the Christ Child came into the world 20 centuries ago.

Bebe Ana was ushered into life, not in a manger but in a 7-by-12-foot basement coal bin with her 13-year-old sister, Maria, assisting the mother at the accouchment.

The story of Bebe Ana, the eighth child of Antonio Gamez, 40-year-old itinerant worker, and his 32-year-old wife, Faustina, was brought out when the mother, suffering from an infection after child-birth, was taken to a hospital along with the baby.

Antonio, a native of Mexico but a naturalized United States citizen, sought the aid of the Associated Catholic Charities. Then Township Trustee Walter F. Hayes began an investigation. He said he learned that the Gamez family was living in the coal bin in the basement of the home of a fellow countryman. Gamez had rented the bin for $40 a month, Hayes said, when the family came here a few weeks ago from Berne, Ind., where the father had been working in a tomato-packing plant.

Gamez speaks little English but through an interpreter he told Hayes he was well satisfied with his basement home and that he wanted to remain in Fort Wayne, where his children would have an opportunity to get a good education.

And Roberto, the eldest son, said: "Anyway we are not cold. See, we are right next to the furnace."

Hayes said he wanted to find better quarters for the family but admitted it would be difficult in a city which he said is already short a thousand or more homes.

COAL BIN BABY—Mrs. Faustina Gamez, 32, holds her two-week-old daughter, Bebe Ana, in a hospital at Fort Wayne, Ind., where they were brought when it was discovered the baby was born in an improvised 7 by 12-foot coal bin. She was attended at birth only by her 13-year-old daughter, Maria. There are now 10 members in the family.

O'Conor Will Administer Oath To Hammond Today

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16 (AP)—Hall Hammond will be sworn in as Attorney General of Maryland in ceremonies at the Baltimore office of Gov. O'Conor tomorrow.

The Governor will administer the oath of office to Hammond, elected last month to succeed William Curran. Hammond has been deputy attorney general since October, 1941.

Mrs. Weagly Re-elected

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19 (AP)—Mrs. R. C. Weagly, of near Hagerstown, has been re-elected president of the Associated Women of the American Farm Bureau Federation, the Maryland Farm Breau announced today.

Weather In Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA—Cloudy today followed by sleet or snow turning to rain and milder tomorrow.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA — Cloudy today with snow or sleet tonight probably turning to rain with slightly warmer tomorrow.

Ships For Refugees

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — President Truman acted today to speed immigration of refugees into the United States by ordering four Liberty ships to Europe to provide transportation for thousands waiting at ports.

Five-Day Mine Week

LONDON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The National Coal Board said today that a five-day week will go into effect in Britain's coal mines May 1, or if arbitration is necessary, four weeks after the arbitrator's decision is given.

Two Airliners

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opposite directions to maintain different altitudes, but planes headed in the same direction fly at the same altitude, althought separated by time intervals.

The EAL plane was on a scheduled non-stop trip from New York to Miami. The airline sent another DC-4 from Newark to Washington to pick up the passengers and take them on to their destination.

Among them were vacationists, businessmen and at least three children.

Crash Described As "Bump"

Philip Salkis, New York, described the collision as "not bad at all—just a bump like when you hit an air pocket, but with a scraping sound."

But Mrs. Sam Neger, New York, related that "it seemed like we hit the side of a house."

Her husband recalled he had told her at the time that "if we had hit something we wouldn't be here now."

Neger said that if it had not been for the conduct of the hostess and purser, George Merl, there "might have been panic." He recounted that Miss Mary Wilson, the hostess, told them calmly that she felt it might be necessary to interrupt the non-stop flight with a stop at Washington.

Pilot Kuhn and the co-pilot, R. J. Brown, Miami, with the other crew members, went into conference with airline officials in Washington after the mishap.

The Universal plane which landed here apparently suffered considerably more damage than did the EAL ship.

Flight Officer Eugene M. Harvey, Miami, Fla., co-pilot of the plane which landed at Aberdeen gave this account of the crash:

Hydraulic System "Kayoed"

"We were flying at about 2,000 feet a few miles north of Aberdeen when all of a sudden there was a terrific thump and then a crashing sound.

"The whole side of the cockpit's windshield caved in and nearly hit me on the head. A hole was stove in the fuselage right over the cockpit.

"After a few moments, we realized that the plane was operating all right, but that our entire hydraulic system was knocked out."

Some of the passengers aboard the Easterns Airlines plane minimized the accident.

The tail end of the craft was reported damaged.

Soviet Observation Plane Forced Down In Greece

SALONIKA, Greece, Dec 19 (AP)—The Greek Third Army Corps said a "Russian observation plane" was forced down by bad weather today near Sidirokastron, about 20 miles south of the Bulgarian border.

The plane, "apparenutly lost," was forced to land because of storms sweeping this area, and its crew members were "well treated," the announcement said.

Arrest Follows

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he asked if he could talk to Boyle again and was brought back to the office. He then confessed to his part in the Westernport robbery and said Schimminger was with him.

Schimminger was then brought in for questioning but he too denied any part in the Cumberland robbery, although he confessed to the Westernport robbery, Boyle said.

Last night, only one of the pair entered the Kerns store. He posed as a "government scale inspector" and asked Kerns to weigh five pounds of sugar, a piece of bacon and a loaf of bread, police stated.

Used Same Pistol

Mrs. Kerns insisted on seeing the man's identification or credentials for his authority. He then drew a .32 calibre pistol and help up Mr. and Mrs. Kerns and a customer, William Frontz, Baltimore and Ohio brakeman. Frontz had no money with him but the gunman made him turn all his pockets inside out to prove it. He took some cash from Kerns. Police believe Logue "pulled" the Westernport hold-up, while Schimminger waited in the car.

In the Cumberland robbery of Norris's store last Saturday night, both robbers entered the place. One was armed with a .32 calibre pistol and the other with a blackjack. They forced Norris to lie on the floor and forced two women customers into a corner, escaping with over $300 in bills and coin.

Police have worked diligently all week to apprehend the pair, and several clues have been run down. It was believed the pair had remained in this area.

Investigator Boyle and Sheriff Muir spoke high words of praise for Chief Hanlon and Patrolman Hawk for their prompt action in apprehending the pair within a mile of the scene of the latest hold-up.

Boyle described both the bandits as "hardened criminals who have done long stretches in the West Virginia penitentiary at Moundsville."

Greek Border

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proposals of United States Delegate Bernard M. Baruch. Also, the Soviet representative on the subcommittee, Prof. Semyon P. Alexandrov, made it clear that he participated in the Political Committee's discussions today and yesterday in a wholly unofficial capacity.

Capt. Deuel

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world's political leaders as well as ranking Army and Navy officers, both at home and abroad.

Kopp said the young army officer was selected after being highly recommended by many who have heard him speak during the 1946 lecture season. Described as "one of the outstanding speakers of the year," by the New York Rotary Club, Capt. Deuel has informed the school superintendent that he will speak on "Youth Faces a New World" during his appearances in Allegany County.

Some of the topics that Deuel has addressed national organizations on include "Where Is Democracy Now?" "Wings of Tomorrow" and "South American Destiny."

Praised By General

The "Where Is Democracy Now?" topic is a collection of facts by Deuel while he was serving with the various military units of the British, Free French, Russian and Chinese armies.

After his "South American Destiny" speech Capt. Deuel was commended by Lieut. Gen. Barton K. Yount, AAF, for his work in Latin American affairs. He presents a captivating portrayal of the great American to the South, the general said.

Other national organizations praising the ability and wisdom of the speaker selected for Allegany County Commencements, are the Adventurers' Club of Los Angeles and the Shrine Club of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Kopp said he is now trying to engage another speaker of wide fame to address the other commencement classes in June.

Bilbo Denies He

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slinger was suddenly put on the stand.

The Senator took the stand with a 42-page prepared statement in which he termed the narcotics matter, first mentioned yesterday by Terry, "a lie out of the whole cloth."

Denying all, Bilbo denounced his former aide as he read from a 42-page prepared statement.

"Christ had his Judas Iscariot; Caesar had his Brutus; George Washington had his Benedict Arnold, but I claim to have had the greatest traitor of them all in my trusted secretary," he said.

Warren Joins GOP "Don't Count Me In Now" Roster

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Gov. Earl Warren, of California, added his name once more today to the list of Republicans who say they are not candidates now for the GOP presidential nomination.

His reiteration at a news conference in California increased the list to four as against only one avowed candidacy, that of Harold E. Stassen, of Minnesota.

The other three on the "don't count me in now" roster are Gov Thomas E. Dewey, of New York, and Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg, of Michigan, and Robert A. Taft, of Ohio.

A Dewey-Warren ticket for 1948 has been much talked about in early speculation. Those who suggest such a ticket say it would provide an East-West balance of two big electoral vote states. They point to Dewey's record plurality in his recent reelection victory, and Warren's winning a second gubernatorial term after taking both major party nominations in the primaries.

Commenting at Sacramento today on Stassen's announced candidacy, Warren said:

"I thought it a perfectly normal approach for a person who is seeking the presidency and the fact that he proposes to discuss his principles and programs seems to me to be a very wholesome approach to the situation."

Warren added, however, that the development does not affect his own situation.

"I think I've stated my personal position on a good many occasions," he said. "There hasn't been any change in the situation and I don't think that under these circumstances there is any call for elaboration."

Other developments on the political front today included:

1—A speech tonight in St. Louis by Carroll Reece in which the chairman of the Republican National Committee declared the new Republican-controlled Congress could not be expected to co-operate with President Truman if he makes legislative recommendations similar to those he made to the current Congress.

2—A statement by Rep. Plumley (R-Vt) criticising the ouster of Miss Marion Martin of Maine, as head of the women's division of the GOP National Committee. "I regret the action taken which caused the resignation of Miss Martin," he said. "That was poor political strategy."

3—A news conference statement by Sen. Brewster (R-Me) that "we Republicans ought not to be over optimistic and think that we only have to nominate someone to have him win."

Three Of Five

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order to bring peace to the industry.

O'Neill, speaking for the majority of the operators, producing 60 per cent of the more than 600,000,000 tons of bituminous coal dug annually in this country, said that their position remained unchanged as a result of the coal strike. He said they were re-affirming the stand they took in November in conversations with Secretary of Interior J. A. Krug—that they would be willing to negotiate a contract with Lewis.

O'Neill said, rather sadly and wearily after the nine-hour conference, that they had sought a "unanimous statement" along those lines, but that it had proven to be impossible.

1,070 First Graders Given Schick Test

Reporting on diphtheria tests given to first grade pupils in 46 county public and parochial schools from October until early this month, Dr. Joseph P. Franklin, city and county health officer, said yesterday that Schick tests were given to 1,070 children.

On the first visit to the schools, the Schick test was given, and on a return visit within a few days, children with positive reactions received the first of the toxoid injections for immunization against the disease.

The number of children receiving toxoid injections was 398, Dr. Franklin said. He was assisted by Dr. Winter R. Frantz, assistant city and county health officer, in giving the tests and injections. Public health nurses in the various districts also assisted in the program.

Hotel Fire Is Checked

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19 (AP)—Eighty guests at the new Joyce Hotel in Baltimore's West Camden street were forced to leave their rooms today when fire broke out between the fifth floor ceiling and roof. The flames of undetermined origin were quickly checked.

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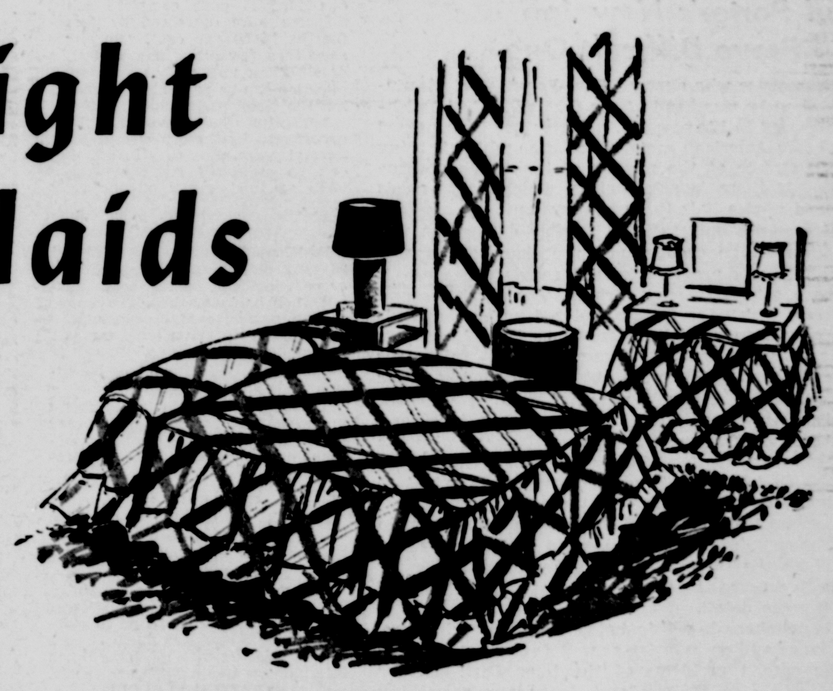

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How To Ruin Sports Via Gambling Route

It is doubtful if gambling ever will be stamped out, no matter what laws are passed or how stiff the penalties. Nearly everyone, now and then, likes to risk a small wager or take a chance, usually against great odds, on winning cash or some thing else of value. Look at the popularity of bingo, raffles, numbers, slot machines and football and baseball pools.

But whatever the general opinion of gambling as a moral issue, there can be no differences in attitude toward most of the gambling rackets now prevalent. They are as sinister and as cheap as any element in American life. They do not engage in these rackets on a risk basis. They operate them to make money, money on which they pay no taxes. Their systems are all devised to achieve one objective—a guaranteed profit for themselves, and there are a few cases within our midst in which the operators have become well-to-do.

They are, as a group, unwholesome and parasitic. Wherever they operate, corruption follows as sure as night follows day. They buy protection from law enforcement officers. They cheat government of taxes. They put in the "fix" to fatten their already heavy gains. Honesty, on any basis, is no part of their makeup. These bandits recently created a major scandal by endeavoring to persuade professional football players to "throw" a game. Not long ago, the retiring commissioner of minor league baseball warned that they were corrupting the national sport.

In the wake of this it now comes to light that they have stooped even lower. They have established pools on high school basketball games. They already are reaping a rich harvest from pools based on college football games. When pools are run on a nationwide game basis (as in college football) a high school athletic official said, "the chances of fixes aren't good. But when they're run on a local basis, the racketeers are close enough to conditions to make the effort."

Of course, the logic of this statement is perfectly apparent. But it is equally logical to point out that the bigger the pools, the bigger the "take." And the bigger the "take" the greater the danger of major corruption. Rich pools can afford to pay high prices for protection and for fixes. In their unscrupulous greed, these racketeers understand no restraints.

Many school and college athletic associations have opened a full-scale war on this kind of racketeering, so far as it applies to high school athletics. The National Professional Football League currently is engaged in a similar effort. But the police agencies of the nation have an equal, or greater responsibility. And they should move in on these rackets with all vigor.

Alf Landon, who was defeated for President ten years ago, continues to hit it lucky. He discovered an oil well while hunting for quail.

Paul Porter's New Job Will Prove Difficult One

Even those who opposed Paul Porter most strenuously when he was head of the OPA will join in wishing him well in his new job. Porter has been named head of an American economic mission which is being sent to Greece at the request of the Greek government. If there is any country which badly needs help and advice it is this unhappy land.

Greece not only suffered terribly during the war and the German occupation but it has been unable to make much progress toward recovery because it has been gripped in civil strife. The sacrifices and hardships which the Greeks endured under the Nazis have only been partially eased since their liberation.

It would be easier to foresee a bright future for Greece if that nation were not a pawn in big power politics and if the Greeks were not so bitterly divided among themselves. But if they are to have any chance at all, they must somehow get ahead with the work of reconstruction of their war-shattered country.

The first thing to be determined is the extent to which the Greeks can rebuild the country with their own resources and the degree to which foreign help must be supplied to enable them to complete the job. It will be the task of the commission which Porter heads to answer these questions not only in general but in some detail.

Its membership will include experts on agriculture, on finance and on industry as well as diplomats versed in the special problems of the Near East. Their report will give Britons and Americans something concrete to go on in deciding how to help Greece out of the mire of misery into which she has fallen.

The latest explanation of the sugar shortage is that Uncle Sam has too many borrowing neighbors.

To Avoid A Slump

Paul G. Hoffman, chairman of something which calls itself the Committee for Economic Development—boy, what a job that crowd has blocked out for itself!—has returned from a sojourn to Europe dripping words of wisdom. Europeans, he said as a starter, take it for granted that this country is bound to have another depression. The only question in their minds, he says, is when it will come. (From their viewpoint this will probably be when the relief stops).

Mr. Hoffman apparently is not inclined to agree that a major slump is inevitable. Far from being convinced by the forebodings of those he talked with abroad, he looks forward, a la Wallace, to a time when the real income of Americans will be twice what it is now. But he warned, cornily, that a steadily expanding economy will be attainable only if measures are taken now to avoid trouble.

Then he goes into a stereotyped harangue about increased production through the co-operation of management, labor and government, correction of irregularities in the flow of materials, prompt adjustment of industrial disputes (Hoffman's company always gives in to the union), corrections of distortions in the wage and price structures—whatever they are—restraint by individuals and business in making deferrable expenditures, and curbs on outlays by government at all levels unless they are clearly necessary for the public welfare.

All this has a hackneyed sound because others have been saying it better for years. And the voters said it better and much more effectively on November 5.

Hams are to be bigger next year because there is more corn in the crib as well as on the radio.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

NEW DRUGS IN EPILEPSY

IN epilepsy, the attacks of unconsciousness vary in frequency, occurring several times a day in some instances. With others, a year or two elapses between episodes. If convulsions appear, the disorder is labeled "grand mal." When they are absent, the condition is called "petit mal."

The victim of the minor type loses consciousness for a second or two, meanwhile day dreaming or staring into space. If the spell appears while walking he will either slow his pace or stop entirely. Should it take place during conversation the patient will stop talking. On coming to he may have no idea as to what has been said and start again on an entirely different topic. When youngsters are afflicted their studies are interfered with since the trend of thought is lost several times during classes.

In grand mal the individual is forewarned of the impending bout by the so-called aura. Immediately thereafter he utters a crying sound and falls to the ground in a convulsive fit. Jerking movements of the arms, legs, and head are exhibited. Sometimes the body is injured by the fall. Others bite the tongue because of the activity of the jaws and for this reason a clothespin or tongue depressor is usually inserted between the teeth. The spasmodic motions subside within a few minutes, leaving the subject dazed and fatigued, but able to go on his way.

For many years bromides and the barbiturates were used as a means of control. The compounds were not entirely satisfactory, causing drowsiness and extreme irritability. Many of the personality changes that epileptics developed could be traced to the drugs. Then dilantin became available, which was a great aid in patients with grand mal. The effect on petit mal was not as striking. Because of its toxicity, however, the product could not be tolerated by every one.

Research continued and many somewhat related chemicals have been introduced. The latest is phenantoin, or mesantoin. Kozol employed it in 104 epileptics, particularly those who were unable to take other preparations. In 60 per cent, the number of attacks was reduced to one-tenth. Approximately one-third of this group remained free from trouble for a period of three to 22 months. The remedy can also be combined with dilantin or the barbiturates. A distressing drawback is the tendency to produce sleepiness, but its taste is not diagreeable nor does it irritate the stomach or cause thickening of the gums as with dilantin. It is most effective in the grand mal variety.

Tridione, another newcomer, is beneficial in petit mal. Lennox used it with 150 patients and improvement followed in 84 per cent. In one-third it gave complete relief. Seizures were decreased by three-fourths in 30 per cent. Reactions arise in a few cases, now and then of a serious nature, but such complication can be prevented by checking the blood periodically.

Epileptics everywhere have been encouraged by these new chemicals. Several years must pass before they can be evaluated properly, but it looks as tho we are on the right track.

HE FORGETS

D. B. writes: When my husband, 26 years old, starts to relate a story or past incident, he will cease talking when half way thru. The thread of the narrative is broken and it is necessary to refresh his memory before he can continue. What can be done to remedy this situation?

REPLY

This is a problem for a competent nerve specialist. Poor memory may be on a functional basis, but sometimes a neurological disorder is responsible.

BREAK IT UP

K. K. K. writes: Can an adhesion in the abdomen be dissolved by taking medicine by mouth?

REPLY

Not unless it contains dynamite. These bands are made up of scar tissue not unlike that found in scarred skin and stand as much chance of disappearing with medicine taken internally as those which are visible.

SNEEZING SLEEPER

F. C. writes: What causes sneezing in the middle of the night? This wakes me up.

REPLY

A tickling sensation in the nose. In your case, allergy to feathers in the pillow or wool in the blanket may be responsible. The same phenomenon may occur as the bedroom cools or if there is too much draft.

BITES

C. E. writes: What is the deadliest type of bite? A says a human bite and B says that from a rat.

REPLY

The bite of a poisonous snake is probably the most dangerous. The seriousness of the lesion depends upon the type of germ harbored in the mouth. The bite from a dog with hydrophobia is much more serious than one from a healthy pet. Likewise, a nip from a rat that is afflicted with the organisms causing rat bite fever can also be hazardous. Taking everything into consideration, I would be more fearful of a human bite since our mouths are virtual museums of microbes.

COLOR CHANGES

J. V. P. writes: Whenever I am around people they always look sick—that is, the color of their faces turns red or brown. Can you help me? I am worried that my presence affects their looks.

REPLY

Perhaps your illuminating glance dazzles them so much that they become sunburned.

SYNDACTYLISM

Mrs. B. writes: My three month old baby has webbed fingers? What should be done for her?

REPLY

The situation should be discussed with a competent surgeon who will be able to decide if surgery is indicated.

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NEXT IS THE CHRISTMAS SEAL

THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Bricker Killed His 1948 Ambitions At Gridiron Dinner; Truman Comes Back At Ohio Senator-elect; Russians Ring Down Curtain On Benton

Says DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Republican candidates who attended the Gridiron Club dinner—and most of them were there — were unhappy about only one thing. They wished that senator-elect John Bricker's speech could have been broadcast to the nation instead of being delivered, off-the-record, to select dinner guests who weren't supposed to mention it above a whisper.

For if the general public had heard the new Senator from Ohio, his chances for the GOP nomination would have pretty much gone up in smoke.

Bricker talked for 22 explosive minutes — longer than any other guest. If he had sat down after six minutes, he would have been a success. But he went on to deliver a stump speech before one of the most sophisticated audiences in the world—ambassadors, cabinet members, Senators, newsmen, and rival GOP candidates. He harangued them as if he were addressing a jury rather than speaking to the judge.

Furthermore, he made the mistake of insulting the President of the United States to his face. That is something never done at a Gridiron dinner. The President is twitted and jibed, but no one ever hits him below the belt.

Truman Replies

When Truman finally got a chance to hit back, there were smiles on Democratic faces for the first time since Nov. 5. He did a beautiful job. Either the president is better at extemporaneous speaking than at formal speaking, or esle he had had an advance peek at Bricker's manuscript. At any rate, without any sign of irritation, he gently threw Bricker's barbs back. Referring to the Ohio ex-Governor's sarcastic promise to investigate everything connected with the Truman Administration, the President said:

"I want to advise my friend from Ohio that I know something about investigating myself."

Then he went on, tongue-in-cheek, to suggest that the Republicans should investigate every Democratic Senator elected in November, since, according to the GOP view, they could not possibly have been elected without some irregularity.

Truman also said he had tried to seek the advice of Republican leaders.

"But," he added, with a helpless look around the room at the variegated array of rivals, including Senators Taft, White and Vandenberg, Joe Martin, Governor Dewey, Senator-elect Bricker and Minnesota's ex-Governor Stassen, "there are so many leaders."

In serious vein, Truman outlined a six-point program for the Republican Congress — including cutting the budget, reduction of taxes, curtailing the national debt, amalgamation of the Army and Navy—and challenged the Republicans to help him put them across.

Perhaps his neatest barb was aimed at Rhodes scholar Senator Fulbright of Arkansas who proposed that the President resign and let the Republicans take over full reign for the next two years. Without mentioning Fulbright's name, he turned to the British Ambassador and said:

"I've come to the conclusion, Mr. Ambassador, that it's a mistake to send our young men to Oxford to study. A land college in Ohio is much better."

Merry-Go-Round

Truman laughed good-naturedly at the skits aimed against his Administration. The scene in which the Democratic high command was at sea in a storm listening to the President play the piano off-key seemed to tickle him immensely. Whenever the piano-player struck a sour note, he roared....Another who enjoyed the dinner was Tom Dewey. Last year Dewey made an excellent speech. This year he sat back and heard his old vice-presidential running-mate, whom he has never liked, make a terrible speech ....One thing in Bricker's speech which struck the sourest note was his ridicule of Republican-Democratic cooperation. At a time when the nation faces continued domestic crisis, Bricker, in mean and nasty mood, brazenly threw cooperation out the window.

Iron Curtain Stays Down

Assistant Secretary of State Bill Benton, who has tried desperately to lift the iron curtain, recently was prevented by the Russians from visiting Moscow.

Benton was scheduled to fly to Moscow with Chester Bowles, his old advertising partner, two weeks ago. But the Russians found Benton had only 48 hours in which to make the trip, let him get as far as Berlin, then stalled nim for 48 hours, claiming Moscow weather made it impossible for his plane to land.

Finally, Benton went back to Paris, where he checked by coded cable with the American Embassy in Moscow, found that the weather in Russia had been perfect during the time he was being barred from the Soviet capital.

NOTE—Benton, who is in charge of State Department information, has tried to beam radio broadcasts into Russia in order to give the Russian people the real truth about the USA. Many Russians don't know even that the American Army and Navy participated in the war against Japan.

A-Bomb Dispute

Sandy-haired Undersecretary of State Dean Acheson and the new Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, David Lilienthal, have their dutch up over Bernie Baruch's A-bomb finagling.

They are charging privately that Baruch is seriously endangering the peace of the world. Both Acheson and Lilienthal have pointed out to Secretary Byrnes that Molotov has already met every requirement set down in the Acheson-Lilienthal report in the way of inspection.

However, the Russians don't want to go as far as Baruch wants. Acheson-Lilienthal claim Baruch is more interested in destroying the veto power than in protecting the world against the atomic bomb. A showdown is brewing.

Ohio Bows To Indiana

Contrary to earlier reports, there will be no dog-fight over the majority leadership of the House when the next Congress convenes in January.

Republican Representative Charles Halleck of Indiana will be elected without opposition.

Strong pressure from Republican colleagues has been exerted on Representative Clarence Brown of Ohio, Halleck's leading opponent for the majority leader post, to retire from the race rather than risk a bitter fight and possible rift in House GOP ranks.

These Republicans also have made it clear to Congressman Brown that Ohio, in Bob Taft, already has the No. 1 Republican in the Senate, and that it would look as if Ohio Republicans were trying to grab too much power in Congress with Brown gunning for the No. 2 spot in the House, the majority leadership.

Capital Chaff

The coal strike may seriously affect next year's potato and apple crops, according to the Department of Agriculture. The trouble is that the shortage of coal tar curtailed supplies of insecticides, which are needed to fight such crop pests as the chinch bug, the European corn borer, the coddling moth, and the potato bug....One reason for veterans housing slowness has just been uncovered by hard-working Representative Robertson of North Dakota. He is making a sweeping investigation of the hoarding of scarce building materials on the west coast, especially the big lumber interests.

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Lewis Is Merely Being Oratorical In His Warnings

By SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

The injunction issued by Judge Goldsborough against John L. Lewis has got labor hot and bothered over an issue which is really of very small importance. When Mr. Lewis says that the decision of the United State Supreme Court may affect every person in this Republic, he is merely oratorical.

Conceding that the injunction was abused years ago, the Norris-La Guardia Act still stands. It still applies to every labor dispute in which private employers and not the sovereign government itself is the plaintiff in the case.

If and when Congress begins to consider how far the Norris-La Guardia anti-injunction act should be amended, in the light of existing abuses, and they have been many, there will be plenty of time for labor to become active in its support.

Judge Goldsborough and I were in Congress together when the Norris-La Guardia Bill was passed. It outlawed the yellow dog contract, and placed restraints upon the use of the injunction in labor disputes.

Not Applicable To Government

I agree with Judge Goldsborough that Congress never intended to destroy the sovereignty of the nation when confronted by some power-drunk labor leader who wants to make himself the arbitrator of his own demands as against the life necessities of 140 million men, women, and children.

Congressman La Guardia himself said that he did not see any possible way in which "the United States can be brought under the provisions of this bill." Now that Mr. Green of the A. F. of L. and Mr. Murray of the C.I.O. have rushed to John Lewis' defense, I suggest that they do this: That they take a telegraphic poll of all living members of Congress who voted for the Norris-La Guardia Act; ask them whether they intended to prevent the United States government from keeping our homes warm, and our factories and railroads running, and then publish the result of that poll to the world and agree to abide by the result.

If they do not adopt this suggestion, some newspaper would perform a valuable service if it were to take this poll.

The fact is that labor unions themselves have repeatedly asked the courts for injunctions. The Commercial Telegraphers Union asked for an injunction against the Western Union Company restraining the breach of a contract with the union.

This is exactly what the United States asked Judge Goldsborough to prevent John L. Lewis from doing—breaking a contract.

In another case, a C.I.O. union asked that its own members be enjoined from transferring their allegiance and union funds to an A. F. of L. union. There have been scores, probably hundreds of such suits for injunction brought by labor unions since the Norris-La Guardia Act was passed.

Breast-Beating Has Hollow Ring

In the light of these facts, all of this theatrical breast-beating about the use of an injunction in this particular case has a very hollow ring. When a court decides in favor of a labor leader, as it did in the Petrillo case, the courts are the bulwark of freedom!

When an employer asks for an injunction to restrain the breach of a labor contract, labor leaders say he is a black reactionary! But, they praise injunctions as sound and wise when a labor union asks for them!

Labor leaders who are asking decent workingmen to support John L. Lewis because an injunction was issued against him, are asking their men to fight on shaky ground, for a cause that was not worth the sacrifice of the happiness of their children on Christmas Day.

Labor, By Lack Of Vision, May Force Repeal Of The Wagner Labor Law

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19—Not a single labor leader has come forth with any suggestion for the revision of the Wagner Labor Relations Law.

Management has made a gesture against repeal of the Wagner Act. But if labor unions are going to oppose any or all changes, the natural tendency of many industrial leaders will be to start a movement for complete repeal of the Wagner law.

Certainly there is nothing more extreme about such a position on the part of management than there is about the adamant attitude being assumed by many labor leaders.

Possibly there has to be a real danger of repealing the Wagner law before labor leaders will wake up to the fact that revision is the milder of the two courses.

One Group for Repeal

There are among business men, two groups—those who favor repeal and those who favor revision. At the moment the revisionists are the majority. The minority, however, are firmly convinced that such compromising tactics will get nowhere and that labor union leaders mean to oppose any and all amendments. This, in turn, would bring a solid front on the other side.

It is a curious thing that despite the attitude of administration officials, including members of the National Labor Relations Board, that some amendments to the Wagner Act are desirable, no labor union leader has come out with a program. In fact, the labor leaders are girding their forces to fight, inside and outside of Congress, all amendments, on the theory that union labor organizations will be weakened no matter what steps are taken by Congress.

The labor leaders are right in that concept. They, of course, have gained many of their advances as a direct result of a one-sided law. In some conspicuous cases word has gone forth in unionizing campaigns that the government itself wanted workers to join unions. The propaganda in soliciting memberships has often transcended the bounds of truth, but employers have been powerless to refute such propaganda without risking a lawsuit and protracted proceedings to learn, through hair-splitting decisions, whether or not they were refuting misrepresentations or discouraging unionization.

Because of the one-sided law and the partisan interpretation given the act by the various members of the National Labor Relations Board in the past ten years, the economic system has been harassed by more strikes than in the days before the Wagner law was enacted.

Strange Parallel In It

There is a strange parallel in all this with the way the public reacted to the Volstead Act. The law was recognized as containing a worthy social objective and repeated attempts were made in Congress to amend it to correct abuses but the "dry" forces stood adamant. Finally the repeal method was decided upon by the opponents of the bootlegger era and after only a few months of active campaigning the Volstead law and the Eighteenth Amendment were repealed. The labor leaders are in somewhat the same position as the Anti-Saloon League leaders were about fifteen years ago when they refused to accept amendments to the Volstead law and hastened repeal.

Complete repeal of the Wagner Act would be a mistake, but today's labor leaders may force such action some day by their lack of vision and their apparent determination to maintain selfish controls through a one-sided law.

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I nearly stole Rodin's famous statue, "The Thinker", last year.

It was in Salzburg. I was having lunch with some officers in the house which had been taken over by General Collins. This ringsize home had formerly been occupied by the local Nazi Gauleiter.

Billy Rose

Sitting on my right at the table was a good-looking kid I'll call Captain Endicott. Before we got to the soup, he told me he wanted to be an actor. He was going home in a month and wanted to know if I could get him a job in the theatre. I gave him the stock brush off: "Drop in if you hear I'm doing a show," and turned to the fellow on my left.

I was due in Vienna that evening. It had been snowing hard during lunch, and when I got outside it was already beginning to drift against the steps. My driver, a tough little corporal from Brooklyn, said he doubted whether we'd make Vienna that night. Without chains, we were liable to get stuck detouring the bombed-out bridges.

"Where do we get chains around here?" I asked.

"This ain't Sixth Avenue," he flipped. "The only way to get them is to liberate them."

"What's holding you?" I asked.

"The only chains I've seen are on the general's car," he said.

"We couldn't possibly take those," I said.

"Of course not," he grinned, and we headed for the general's car.

There wasn't much light in the garage. I held a flashlight while the corporal did his "moonlight requisitioning". As he was leaving with the chains, I noticed a big chunk of something wrapped in burlap. It looked like it might be a statue. I went over and looked around. I pulled off the wrapping. I looked once, looked again, and then swallowed my gum.

It was "The Thinker", Rodin's famous bronze of the hunched-over man with his chin in his hand. I knew it had been copied thousands of times. But I had a feeling that here in the Gauleiter's garage in Salzburg I was looking at the original. There wasn't a museum in the world that wouldn't give its cornerstone for this four-foot chunk of metal.

I went back into the house for my bags. My stagestruck friend, Captain Endicott, button-holed me again to say he'd be meeting me in New York. I asked him if the statue in the garage was the McCoy.

"Sure," said Endicott. "The Gauleiter took a shine to it and swiped it from a museum. The musuem knows we have it and they'll be sending a truck around for it any day."

Now I'm reasonably respectable citizen. I pay my bills and never take a loose penny off a newsstand. Friends leave the kid's piggy bank out in plain sight when I come to dinner. But that masterpiece in a Nazi garage was too much. The larceny in me took charge. Suddenly I was an international crook out of E. Phillips Oppenheim.

I beckoned to the Captain to follow me outside. There in the snow I made him a proposition.

"How bad do you want a job on the stage?" I asked him.

"More than anything," said Endicott.

"You look like a smart fellow," I purred. "Do you think you could smuggle that statue to America?"

"I think so," he said. "I stand in pretty good with the Colonel."

"Here's the deal," I said. "I don't want to know how you do it. Just get it to me in New York. It's too good for this country. Deliver, and I'll get you a job on the stage—and I don't mean a walk-on."

The Captain had those big electric lights in his eyes as we shook hands.

Well, it all came to nothing. I've been listening for a year now and still haven't heard the thud of a heavy packing case at my door. Maybe the Heinie museum picked the Rodin up before the Captain got to it. Maybe he didn't stand in as well with the Colonel as he thought.

Does this mean I'm a crook? Well, I like to think it doesn't. Under certain circumstances, I think almost anybody is likely to reach out for the one thing he wants and can't get any other way. I think I'm a respectable citizen—but don't leave me alone in a room with the Mona Lisa.

Incidentally, if General Collins is ever around the Ziegfield Theatre, I hope he drops in to see me. I'll be glad to take him down to Sixth Avenue and buy him a set of chains.

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Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

BOOKS AS FURNITURE

I have been a lover of books ever since I learned to read, and I have never stopped their parade into my home. I carried them around with me when I had no home. Just recently I thought it was about time that I gave them their desert. I had shelves built around the four walls of my library, and clear to the ceiling. Now My library, at long last, is furnished!

Oh, of course, there is a chair or so, for I like friends to share my silent friends, but a chair can't talk and a book can. Sir Edmund Goss once remarked that books "are the furniture of the mind." That is quite true, but I like such furniture visible, where I can touch it, feed upon it, and get its radiated warmth.

To see these books of mine, in their colorful costumes, hugging each other upon the shelves, is always inspiring, for I know that I can walk up to any one of them, and in a few moments get the very beat of its heart! If everything in the room should be taken out but the desk, upon which my writing machine rests, still would this room be fully furnished. The plainest home, with a wise assortment of books, scattered about, always looks well furnished.

Commenting upon the house of a certain Dr. Routh of Magdalen College, Oxford, this observer said the doctor's house "contained the same goodly book-furniture as of old—outvying, in intrinsic worth, all the velvet and silk and chintz hangings of the proudest Palace in Christendom." And it is said of Charles Lamb that his dining room was "all studded over and rough with books." I am sure that any lover of books sleeps better with a handful of them near to his reach.

Olive Wendell Holmes, in his book "The Poet at the Breakfast Table," speaks of a library as a part of the upholstery. Books immediately change the whole appearance of a room, like a comfortable dog, half dozing—awaiting a pat on the nose!

And books as furniture cost the least of all types of furniture. The cost of one good lounging chair would almost purchase a respectable library. And outlast the chair, as well. A chair, or table is just what each is meant to be, but a book may be a new world, or an unexpected friend, or a wise teacher, in silent print.

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NEWSgrams

Must be used before Dec. 25 .. ....

A Minnesotan gave his wife a silver wedding anniversary present of $2.896 which is her total weight in silver dollars. Bet many a friend of hers is now trying to figure out just how much 2.896 silver dollars weigh.

The shortest day of the year is December 22. The calendar is certainly unfair to us last minute Christmas shoppers.

Junior admits he peeked into the Christmas gift closet just to see if it would be worth being good or not.

We're told one can see the stars more clearly from the bottom of a well. However, we've noticed the astronomers never build their observatories there.

A descending float plane knocked out a muskelunge in the Niagara river. Even our post-war fish stories are air-minded.

ALVEOLAR ECHINOCOCCUS, RARE DISEASE, TURNS UP

AP Newsfeatures

BALTIMORE — Without warning—a young Baltimore surgeon at an operating table found himself confronted with one of the most difficult surgeries and one of the world's rarest diseases.

The disease: alveolar (or multilocular) echinococcus, a microscopic tapeworm. It's area of greatest prevalence includes the occupational zone of United States troops in Germany.

This affliction waits 20 to 25 years before striking down its victims.

Dr. Louis J. Kolodner resected the whole left lobe of the patient's liver—an accomplishment recorded only seven times previously in the annals of American surgery.

When 45-year-old Jacob Oppenheimer, a German refugee, came to Kolodner last July, the doctor suspected cancer of the pancreas.

Dr. Tobias Weinberg, pathologist at Sinai Hospital, where the operation was performed, diagnosed Oppenheimer's specimen as alveolar echinococcus. He asserted that aside from two cases at Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York City—one in 1915 and one in 1937—and a single case in Canada in 1937, he knew of no other occurrence since 1900.

Weinberg said the disease was reported most prevalent in eastern Siberia, Bavaria, Wurtemberg and adjacent districts of Switzerland and the Tyrol.

Oxen and horses are the carriers of the parasite and the infection may be contracted by eating contaminated meat of these animals, or vegetables taken from soil treated by their manure, or from contact with such soil.

The doctors said the affliction appears in adults in the age range of 35 to 55, never in children.

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Presbyterian Church School To Give Program

Each Department Will Take Part In Service Sunday In Lecture Hall

The Church School of the First Presbyterian Church will present a Christmas program at 7 o'clock Sunday night in the lecutre hall. It will include Christmas carols, recitations, a candle-lighting service, dramatization of the nativity scene, and will close with the showing of colored slides of the Christmas story.

A hymn, "Joy To the World" will open the program, after which Rev. William A. Eisenberger will lead in prayer. Betty Jane Weatherholt will give the "Welcome," after which the Beginners department will present recitations, "Be Happy," Edward Brown; "Baby Jesus," Janet Duke and Bertha Jean Duke; "All Like Christmas," Brenda Balch; a song, "The Blessed Day," Allen Thorne, Robert Hunter and Marlene Brings; "Christmas Secrets," Sandra May; "Jesus Birthday," Dianne Waller and Sue Ann Taylor.

"On Christmas Eve," Douglas Cramer, Victor Reuschlein and William Frey; "To Smooth Them Out," Ann Mowen; "Christmas Tree," Leanne Smith; songs, by the group, "Christmas Is Jesus' Birthday," and "The Dolly Song."

The Primary department will join the Beginners in singing, "Silent Night," and "Away in the Manger," after which the Primary children will conduct a candle-lighting service, "Christmas Customs in China," and sing, "Little Candles in the Night."

For the Junior department Sue Harman will recite, "A Christmas Story"; Dorothy Ludman and Betty Jane Weatherholt will sing, "Why Do Bells of Christmas Ring?" the Junior boys will give a play; and the girls will sing, "Little Christmas Candles;" and Sally Conrad will recite, "His Gifts."

As an offeratory solo Jean Dickenson will sing, "O Holy Night." Following colored slides of the Christmas Story the Scripture readings will be given by Carolyn Bowie and Alvin B. Storey. The program will close with a benediction song, "The Christmas Prayer," by the Beginners.

William B. Ludman is general superintendent of the church school. The program has been prepared and directed by Mrs. Alvin B. Storey, Mrs. Luther L. Hutter, Mrs. William B. Ludman and Mrs. Florence G. Warfield.

Ursuline Glee Club To Carol At Queen City

Carols will be sung at the Queen City station tomorrow night by the Ursuline Academy Glee Club, under the direction of Sister Leonita. The annual caroling is held at the station under the auspices of the Cumberland Division of the CTP, with Mrs. Earl W. Conn, chairman.

The program will begin in the station at 8:15; and at 8:45 the carolers will go out on the platform to greet passengers on the Capitol Limited, the second division and the Detroit Limited.

Tomorrow nigh's program will include, "O Holy Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Angels We Have Heard on High," "Adeste Fideles," "Sleep Holy Babe," "Silent Night," "Christmas," "Deck the Halls," "Jingle Bells," "Christmas Everywhere," "White Christmas," "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," and "Jesu Bambino."

Sweaters were originally designed for athletes to wear before and after games to prevent cold.

Fort Hill Home Economics Majors Give Yule Tea

The 14 girls of the 11th and 12th vocational homemaking class at Fort Hill High School, who are majoring in home economics, entertained members of the faculty and officials of the Board of Education, at the annual Christmas tea, Wednesday. The party was held in the dinning room of the homemaking department.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kopp and Richard T. Riser. Other guests were members of the faculty and wives of faculty members, Mrs. Karl Perry, Mrs. John Stouffer and Mrs. J. M. Yates.

The Christmas theme was carried out in the elaborate decorations. They included a large Christmas tree, an arrangement of cardboard candy canes, loops of ribbons, tall red tapers and evergreen on a mirror, and snow covered evergreens on the ledges, window sills and top of the cupboards.

A bowl of red carnations and candelabra of red tapers centered the main table and the smaller tables were centered with Yule decorations of greens, candles and Yule logs.

Ethel McCleof served the punch and Beatrice Thompson poured tea. Guests were greeted by Virginia Lee Simons assisted by Bertie Lou Ellis and Rosalie Griese. Other hostesses were Dorothy Smith, Catherine Zais, June Imes, Ruth Wilson, Ruth Fergerson, Esther Duvall, Rosalee Thompson, Leah Drake and Evelyn Sisk. Miss Evelyn Miller is instructor of the class. Sixty guests attended and were entertained by recordings of Christmas music.

C. J. Hardy Weds Beatrice Beachy

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Beachy to Charles J. Hardy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hardy, LaVale, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Beachy, Salisbury, Pa., parents of the bride.

The ceremony was performed December 6 in St. John's Lutheran Church with Rev. Donald Brake officiating. Miss Betty Sue Montgomery, Romney, W. Va., was maid of honor and Frank Wilson, Jr., city, was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Salisbury High School and Memorial Hospital School of Nursing. A veteran of two years service in the ETO, the bridegroom is employed as a machinist with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Personals

Miss Phyllis Ann Harris, daughter of State's Attorney and Mrs. Morgan C. Harris, who is attending Hannal Moore Academy, Reistertown, returned home yesterday for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Louise Glick, student at Notre Dame College, Baltimore, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Glick, Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Gleichman, 522 Bedford street are spending the holidays with their son, Rev. Paul H. Gleichman, Bristol, Pa.

Mrs. Nellie Wilson Footer, 404 Washington street, will leave today for Baltimore to spend the holidays with her daughter.

Miss Nellie Willison, head of the English department at Fort Hill High School and president of the newly organized Allegany County Council of English Teachers is now convalescing at her home after a stay at Johns Hopkins Hospital.

The corn belt states use comparatively small amounts of commercial fertilizers compared with other regions of the United States

Cresaptown Sunday School To Give Yule Program

Children To Present Song Service Sunday Morning At Church

Carols by the Young People's Choir, with Virginia Krnaya, pianist, and Leroy Davis, directing, will open the Cresaptown Methodist Sunday School program, at 9:45 Sunday. Mrs. Carl Bowman is superintendent of the division.

Greetings will be given by Martha Ann Lewis, Sandra Ziegler, Dora Jean Shaffer, Denny Davidson, Nancy Ellen Duzier, Son Twigg and Lois May Lee. The Beginners will sing, "Merry Christmas"; and a "Real Christmas Thought," will be given by Katherine Sindy, William Sindy, Geraldine Smith and James Richardson; "Joy Bells," Carol Gearhart and Jean Shirey.

"Who Would Spell Christmas," with Marlene Twigg as leader and each of the following representing one of the letters: Margaret Hershberger, Betty Wolford, Eleanor VanMeter, Darlene Lease, Mary Louise Lewis, Charlotte Twigg, Clara Jane Martz, Shirley Winters and Shirley Davidson.

"Christmas Wishes" will be given by Mary Evelyn Kamauf; "The Christmas Patrol," John Hudson, John Hyde, Robert Shank, Gene Poland, James Shirey and Royce Breedlove; "In Modern Way," Betty Gearheart; "Inasmuch" by Darlene Grove, James Shaffer, Clyde Nave, Ronald Sindy, Martin Johnson, Joseph Winters, James Twigg, Donna Rae Shaffer, George Hutson, Marian Hamilton, Nancy Ann Lewis, Charles Smith, Terry Broadwater and Sonya Hounshell.

The entire group will sing "Little Folks at Christmas," and Colleen Stouffer will recite "Someone Is Knocking," Robert Rotruck will recite "Christmas Spirit," and the program will conclude with a Christmas prayer, by Rodney Breedlove.

Mrs. Roger Wotring, Mrs. George Krnaya and Leroy Lewis are in charge.

Theodore Roosevelt became President of the United States when 42 years old.

Woman's Civic Club Holds Yule Luncheon Meeting

The Woman's Civic Club held it's annual Christmas luncheon at the Elk's Club yesterday. Miss Elizabeth L. Lowndes, American Home Group chairman, was in charge and Mrs. Miles Thompson decorated the tables in the Christmas motif.

A musical program was presented under the chairmanship of Mrs. William L. Keller. It inculdes Mrs. Harry G. Parker singing, "Jesu Bambino," by Pietro A. Yon with Mrs. Herbert A. Platt at the piano. "The Shephard's Story," "While Sheep Lay All Around," "Lullaby on Christmas Eve," "Silent Night," and "O Holy Night," sung by the following high school students; Doris Davis, Francis Allen, Jean Dixon, Barbara Gaff, Everstine Mitchell, Maxine Conrad, Donald Ort, Robert Smith, Thomas Hutchinson and Gene Shaw with Jean Marquis at the piano.

Mrs. Henry Swearingen gave a reading of the "Story of the Christmas Carols," and the program concluded with the group singing of carols, with Mrs. Platt accompanist.

Mrs. Arthur C. Bright presiding, announced that the Welfare Group, with Mrs. G. Frank Malin chairman, will take a Christmas treat to Slyvan Retreat and the County Home, at 1:30 tomorrow. The following members will take boxes to shut-ins, Mrs. A. P. Dixon, Mrs. Walter C. Capper, Mrs. Fred T. Small, Mrs. Nellie Wilson Footer, Mrs. W. Seldon Landis, Mrs. C. A. Feeser, Mrs Bright and Mrs. Thompson

Macau, Portuguese settlement on the South China sea coast, was a popular pleasure resort before World War II.

The Duke of Windsor abdicated the throne of England at the age of 42.

Mrs. Finkeldey Is Honored By Friends On 81st Birthday

A group of friends surprised Mrs Catherine Finkeldey on her 81st birthday, Wednesday night, at her home, 430 Virginia avenue.

The daughter of the late Henry and Fredricka Borchart, she was born December 18, 1865 in Cumberland, where she has resided all her life. On July 31, 1897 she married Adolph Finkeldey. The couple had one child, Mrs. William F. Arenz, with whom she resides. Mrs. Donovan Brown, Akron, O., is a grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Finkeldey owned and operated a bakery and upon the death of the former Mrs. Finkeldey continued the busines until fire destroyed it in 1936. She is in good health and is quite active doing all her house work besides quilting and making rugs. She is a member of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, but regularly attends St. John's Lutheran Church, which is nearer her home.

Singing and card playing featured the entertainment during the evening and the honor guest was presented with a large birthday cake. Approximately 12 guests attended. Mrs. William E. Hardman, a niece, and Miss Earlene Hardman and Mrs. John F. Palmer, grand nieces assisted in serving.

8-40 To Begin Knitting Classes; Hold Party

Members of Salon 325, Eight and Forty held a short business session, preceding the Christmas party, Wednesday night, at the Legion home. Mrs. Pearl Allen presided and plans were discussed for organizing a knitting class with Mrs. Carl Hixson as teacher. The group will meet at the various homes, and when sufficiently proficient will knitt for the Red Cross.

Classes will begin at the January 21 meeting at the home of Mrs. Allen, Goethe street.

Ways and means for raising funds to purchase new colors were discussed and a report is to be given by the committee at the next meeting.

Singing of carols featured the jingle party after which refreshments were served. Fifteen members attended.

Insurance Office Staff Has Yule Party

Christmas was celebrated by members of the office personnel of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, in the form of a turkey dinner and jingle party, Wednesday night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

The holiday motif was carried out in the red and white tapers and chrysanthemums centering the table. Covers were laid for six.

B'er Chayim Children To Give Hannukah Program

Feats Of Lights To Be Observed By Group Sunday Afternoon

The Children's Hannukah program will be presented at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in B'er Chayim Temple, with Mrs. Faye K. Hersh, superintendent in charge.

It will be a joyous program dealing with the Feast of Lights, which began December 17 and continues for eight nights. It will include dramatizations, songs and choral readings with each class participating.

Concluding the program the Sisterhood will entertain with a treat, with Mrs. Irving Millenson in charge.

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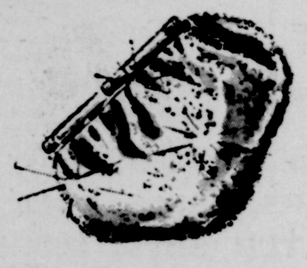

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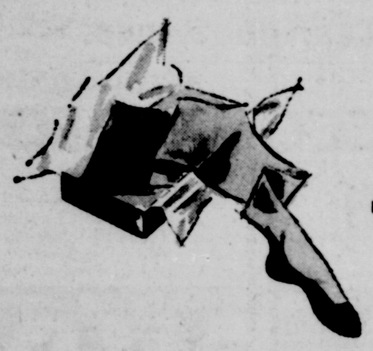

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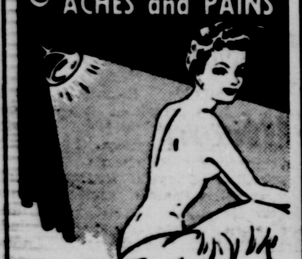

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Food

Yule Fruit Cake

FESTIVE FRUIT CAKE . . . Christmas tradition

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS

Associated Press Food Editor

Fruit cake, traditionally, should be ready for eating at Christmas time. If your choice for the season would be to have fruit cake, no matter what other sweets must be given up, here are a couple of suggestions on making that cake.

First, I want to give you a cake which is unusually easy to put together, although it hasn't perhaps as long lasting qualities as the old-fashioned one which is a production to prepare.

Festive Fruit Cake

- ½ cup butter or vitamized margarine
- 2 cups mincemeat
- 1 cup diced preserved fruit (citron, lemon or orange peel, cherries)
- ½ cup white raisins
- ½ cup Brazil nuts, chopped
- ½ cup walnuts, chopped
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 eggs
- ½ cups flour, sifted
- 1½ teaspoons baking powder
- ½ teaspoon soda
- ½ teaspoon salt

Melt butter or margarine and add mincemeat, fruit, raisins, nuts, sugar and vanilla. Add eggs, one at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition. Sift together flour, baking powder, soda and salt. Fold into fruit mixture. Pour into a slightly greased 8-inch tube pan, the bottom of which is lined with waxed paper. Bake in a moderately low oven (325°) an hour and a half. Remove cake from pan. While warm spread a thin layer of dark corn syrup over the top for a glaze. Decorate with cherries cut to appear like poinsettias. Brazil nut halves and angelica. Yield: one 8-inch round fruit cake.

Dark, Rich Fruit Cake

- 4½ cups flour
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 teaspoon salt
- cinnamon
- ½ teaspoon ginger
- 1 cup butter or vitaminized margarine
- ½ cup brown sugar
- ½ cup honey
- ½ cup dark molasses
- ½ cup strawberry jam
- 1 cup blanched almonds, slivered
- 1 cup seedless raisins
- 1 cup chopped pecans
- 1 cup seeded raisins, chopped
- ½ cup chopped citron
- ½ cup each—chopped candied orange peel, lemon peel, cherries, pineapple
- 1 cup chopped dates
- 1 cup chopped currants
- ½ cup brandy
- 6 eggs

Mix and sift flour, baking soda, salt and spices. Combine all fruit and nuts and sift ½ cup of the flour mixture over them. Transfer to a large brown paper bag and shake vigorously to flour all fruit and nuts. Cream butter or margarine until light and soft. Gradually cream in the brown sugar. Add well beaten egg yolks, strawberry jam, molasses, and honey. Stir in the floured fruit and nuts. Then add the flour mixture and stir only until all ingredients are moistened. Add brandy and finally fold in the egg whites which have been beaten until stiff but are still moist. This is a stiff mixture and requires a strong right arm. Turn into well-greased loaf or tube pan, tie brown paper over the top and steam for an hour. Then bake at 250° for three and a half hours. Remove the brown paper during the last hour of baking. Yield: six pounds.

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AAUW Has Musical Program At Yule Party In Frostburg

The regular meeting and Christmas party of the Cumberland Branch of the American Association of University Women was held at the home of Miss Elizabeth Wilton Jenkins, Frostburg, Wednesday night.

Miss Annie B. Gray, assisted by Miss Anna Nicht, arranged the musical program and introduced the guest musicians. They included Mrs. Harry Parker, who sang, "Jesu Bambino," by Pietro A. Yon; Mrs. Robert Kerlin, played an Etude and a Prelude by Chopin, a number by Schumann and one by John Alden Carpenter. Wilton Sykes, accompanied by Miss Patricia Doerner, played a group of compositions for the violin and piano, among them a Christmas Phantasy arranged by Miss Doerner, a composition by Rubinoff and "Liebesleid," by Fritz Kreisler. These selections were followed by group carol singing.

The social committee in charge consisted of Miss Jenkins and Mrs. Reford Aldrich, cochairmen, assisted by Miss Ruth Engle, Mrs. C. A. Suter, Miss Datha Thomas, Mrs. Harry Odgers, Miss Virginia Neff, Miss Bernice A. Winner, Miss Kathleen Wolfe, Mrs. J. L. Rahk, Miss Betty Hohing, Miss Gertrude A. Williams and Miss Mabel E. Myers.

Blue Bird Club Has Christmas Party

The Blue Bird Club held it's annual Christmas party last night at Central YMCA in the form of a turkey dinner, followed by a theater party. The table was elaborately decorated in keeping with the holiday season with red candles and a miniature sleigh and reindeer and pine.

Christmas carols were sung and secret sisters revealed, gifts were exchanged and new club sisters were selected for the coming year

Members attending were Mrs. Florence Brant, Mrs. Margaret Brotemarkle, Mrs. Synthia Teeter, Mrs. Winnie Walters, Mrs. Ruth Phillips, Mrs. Verge Willison, Mrs. Dorothy Bauer, Mrs. Mae Hartman, Mrs. Margaret Holt, Mrs. Mable Chaney, Mrs. Edith Nixon, Mrs. Margaret Robertson, Geraldine Lynn and Mary Robinson.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ruth Phillips in January.

Educators Entertained; Schools Close Today

Personnel of the Board of Education of Allegany County were guests yesterday at the various school cafeterias for the annual Christmas dinner, which featured turkey as the main course.

Charles L. Kopp, superintendent, Richard Eizer, assistant superintendent and J. D. Lonnholm, adult education director, were guests at the McCoole school, while supervisors, and clerical workers were entertained at the various other cafeterias.

The Christmas dinner, was held on the eve of the closing of school for the Yule holidays. Kopp said classes will be discontinued this afternoon and will not be resumed until January 6.

IOOF Groups To Hold Joint Yule Party

The annual Christmas party of the Chosen Friends Lodge, No. 34 and Chapel Hill Lodge, No. 53, IOOF will be held tonight at the Odd Fellows hall, beginning at 8 o'clock.

A varied program will be presented including dancing and a playlet by the pupils of the Steckman Dance Studio; a motion picture "Trees," shown by Robert Davis, and several Christmas short pictures. There will also be a visit by Santa and distribution of gifts. Raymond Drake is chairman of arrangements.

The Allegany-Mineral County Past Grand Association will hold a meeting at the conclusion of the party. Dancing will conclude the night.

Events In Brief

The Christmas party of the Junior department of the First Baptist Sunday school will be held at 7 tonight at the church.

The AEL Sisterhood of Cresaptown Methodist Church will meet for its Christmas part tonight.

The Mizpah class of First Baptist church will meet at 7:30 tonight at the home of Mrs. Frank Hinze, 1907 Bedford street.

McKinley Chapter, No. 12, OES will hold a jingle party following the business meeting tonight at the temple. Refreshments will be served in the assembly hall following the session.

The Weldemern Class, the Young Women's Class of Centre Street Methodist Church, will hold a covered dish supper at 6 tonight at the church parlor. The annual Christmas party will be held, jingle gifts exchanged and secret sisters revealed. Mrs. Harry Simpson is teacher.

Mrs. C. C. Boor will be hostess to members of the WSCS of Centenary Church for a Christmas program tonight, at her home, Bedford road.

The Gleaners Class of Bethel Evangelical Church will meet for a Christmas party tonight at the home of Warnes Wharton.

The Nave's Cross Road 4-H Girls will meet at 9 tonight at the home of Beverly Bennett, to go caroling, after which they will have refreshments at the home of Jean McCoy, 356 Williams street.

There will be a rehearsal of children taking part in the Christmas pageant, today after school.

Zion WSCS Has Christmas Party

Mrs. Ward Wilson was hostess to members of the Zion WSCS for its annual Christmas party at her home, Bedford road, Wednesday night.

The members joined in singing, "Joy To the World," after which Mrs. Rachel Iames read the Christmas customs in other lands and Mrs. Richard H. Bready read the Christmas story. Mrs. Iames then gave the origin of the Christmas hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night," which the members sang in unison. Mrs. A. L. Brill presented an article on "How Santa Claus Came to America."

Secret sister gifts and jingle gifts were exchanged and sisters for the ensuing year were selected. Following the entertainment refreshments were served with Miss Violet McElfish in charge.

Others attending were Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Albert Blamble, Mrs. Stanley Twigg, Mrs. Carl Sachs, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. S. E. Simons, Mrs. Wayne W. Brady, Mrs. Albert Charles, Mrs. Curtis G. Eshelman, Mrs. Charles Brant, Mrs. O. C. Judy, Mrs. Richard Norris, Mrs. George Brant, Mrs. Emory Crites, Mrs. Herman Frantz, Mrs. Jack Norris, Mrs. Michael Raso, Mrs. Augustus McElfish, Mrs. Paul Mertens, Mrs. Robert Mertens, Mrs. William Kinch, Mrs. Margaret R. Brady, Mrs. Iva Zufall, Mrs. Randolph Sanson, Mrs. John Rodecamp, Mrs. Laura Morris and Mrs. Sheridan Tewell.

The next meeting will be held January 3, at the home of Mrs. Curtiss G. Eshelman, Bedford road.

C. A. Andrews, Jr., Weds Josephine Canavera

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Josephine Canavera of New Brinswick, N. J., to Calvin C. Andrews, Jr., formerly of Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Andrews, Charleroi, Pa. The double ring ceremony was performed December 8, in St. Theresa church, Uniontown, Pa., with Rev. Father Ettire officiating.

Miss Cecelia Canavera was the maid of honor and Albert Konosky, Charleroi, served as best man.

The bride is a former employe of Raritan Arsenal, N. J. The bridegroom, a veteran of three years in the armed forces with 27 months duty in the Pacific, is employed with the Republic Steel Corporation, Charleroi.

Mrs. J. F. Garlitz Honors Miss Bible

Miss Peggy Bible, bride-elect, was honored by Mrs. Joseph F. Garlitz at a personal shower party, Wednesday night at her home, Franklin street.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Bible, 115 Hanover street, Miss Bible will become the bride of Edwin James Scott, son of Mrs. Eola Scott, 907 Fayette street, January 4, in St. Patrick's rectory

A blue and white color scheme was carried out in the tiered wedding cake, adorned with a miniature bride and bridegroom, centering the table; and repeated in the shower umbrella concealing the gifts. Mrs. George Lowery and Mrs. Robert Rodda assisted the hostess in serving.

As the building of churches is considered "worldly" by the people of the Amish religion, they hold services in one another's homes.

Two Parties Are Scheduled Tomorrow

Mrs. Richard R. Sitzler will entertain with a cocktail party tomorrow afternoon at her home, 303 Schley street. She will be assisted in serving by her daughter, Helen Lee Sitzler, who is home for the holidays from Penn Hall, Chambersburg, Pa., Mrs. William A. Douglas, Mrs. G. Wilbur Seymour and Mrs. Albert W. Keight.

Mr. and Mrs. Sitzler will be hosts to members of their bridge club at a bridge dinner tomorrow night.

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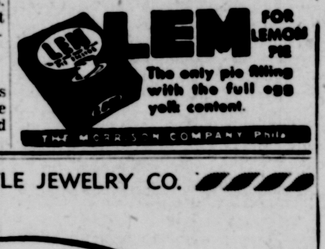

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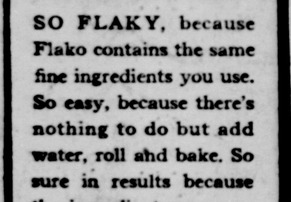

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Advice To The Lovelorn

Maybe This 17-Year-Old Girl Is Just In Love With A Uniform

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage

"Two months ago," writes a 17-year-old girl who signs her letter "Heartbroken Blonde," "I met a very nice sailor at a party. You can say it was love at first sight."

The young man was 18, and, after the fashion of many lightheartened seafarers, he devoted his stay in the girl's neighborhood to giving her an intensive rush, making such a thorough job of it that "he told me he loves me very much, and that when I am 19, he wants to marry me."

Unfortunately, this 17-year-old was not sufficiently wise in the ways of sailors to take all this with equal light-heartedness and the important grain of salt. So, when he shipped out on the heels of his protestations of love, promising to write her from his first port of call instead of saying, "Goodbye; nice to have met you" and waving him gaily out of her life, she began to make watching for the mailman her chief interest.

"It has been two weeks, and I have not heard from him," she writes tearfully. "I'm almost going crazy. I can't sleep and I have lost my appetite. I don't care for going out or anything. All I do all day is think about him. Even my studies have dropped. I just can't seem to pull myself together. Do you think I should try and forget him, or just hope and pray that he will write to me? I know that he is going to be very hard to forget, because I love him so much."

In answer to this girl, I'm going to pass on to her the advice given in a letter just received from a young wife, who had her own experience of falling hard for a man in uniform and believing that it would be impossible to forget him. While her experience is somewhat unusual in that it ended far more happily than things of this sort are apt to do, she nevertheless learned from it some basic truths which would be helpful to other young people, if they would only be willing to accept them.

Here are some of the things she wrote me:

"When I was 16, I met a man of 20. He was my sister's boy friend's brother, and he wore a navy uniform, to boot. Looking back now, I realize how silly I must have been to have attracted at first sight by a good-looking fellow in his country's uniform, when I didn't know the person underneath it.

"Of course I didn't let him know my feelings, and all during his leave I sat around the house too wretched and heartbroken to even think of going out with any other boy as long as I lived."

You see, "Heartbroken Blonde?" Other girls, like you, have thought they had a case of "love at first sight." And this girl didn't even have the satisfaction of being noticed by the man. So her sailor went back to sea without having given her a second glance, and she proceeded to make herself thoroughly miserable, thinking about him constantly and telling herself, just as "Heartbroken Blonde" is doing, that it was impossible to forget him.

"But," she writes, "I found out it wasn't as impossible as I thought! He was away quite some time, and then I heard from his brother that he wanted me to write him a letter. I did, but I was careful of what I put into it. I wrote just a friendly one, telling little bits of news. And he never answered."

No letters either, "Heartbroken Blonde." Just like you.

But then, all of a sudden, the war was over, the sailor came home and his brother brought him around again. "He was surprised to see I had grown up, and it was my turn to act a little aloof."

Well, maybe you've guessed the outcome. Anyhow, they're married now, and are busily engaged living "happily ever after."

Now I'm not suggesting, "Heartbroken Blonde," that your story is necessarily going to have the same happy ending. It might have by some miracle, of course, but frankly the odds are against it.

But what I want you to remember out of this other girls's experience is, first, what she says about its not being as impossible to forget as you think it is, and, second, this little paragraph with which she ended her letter. It puts that business of "love at first sight" right into its proper place.

"What you first feel for a person isn't love," she says. "Love isn't a matter of just looking at some one and deciding you love him. It takes time and understanding and a lot of other little things I couldn't mention here, but it goes much deeper than just good looks. It's the person himself."

So pull yourself up short and stop making yourself sick over your boy in a sailor suit, "Heartbroken Blonde," no matter how handsome and charming he was. If he meant what he said, you'll hear from him. If he didn't, and you don't hear from him, forget him.

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By ELSIE ROBINSON

NEVER UNDERESTIMATE A DAME

I've written on this angle for many a year and the chances are I'll be doing so when I reach 100. For males have cherished the same notions several thousand years and they aren't apt to change because of an occasional female broadcast.

Masculine viewpoints have shifted from time to time but there still persists one idea that they've never junked whether they wore crusader's steel pants or modern tweeds. Old or young, wise or dumb, they all believe profoundly that the little woman is a helpless, ignorant, clinging, trusting moron. It is a safe bet that more big boys have gone jobless and bankrupt because of this tradition than for any other reason.

Suffrage didn't change them . . . nor working women . . . nor our supposed sex equality . . . nor World War II WACS. To the average male, "a woman is only a woman" but the male is the head of the house. And with few exceptions they refuse to believe otherwise until they get a stroke of apoplexy or alimony.

But it's hokum, brother, it's hokum.

Yes, I know it's a ducky dream which flatters your male vanity just as it did great grandpa's. And the girls, being wise to percentages, appear to eat it up. Which to you is 100 percent proof that you're on the beam. But you aren't, my lad. You're just preparing for a long hard and highly expensive tailspin. For you've got—though few females will admit it—the wrong angle.

NEVER UNDERESTIMATE A DAME.

That's no slam at women. No compliment either. It's the simple truth. Women were made naturally to be regular guys as brave as any man. What man would bear a baby? Likewise, given a man's open trail, I have no doubt that women would be as straight shooters for they are reckless, ruthless and ingenious.

But cooped within four walls as they have been for centuries, women learned to play their cards close to their chests plus a poker face with big baby eyes and a gurgling coo or a high pitched yell.

Regardless of these vital facts, pop has always assumed his right to priority so he put the bee on mama, which gave him plenty chance to thump his chest . . . and gave her plenty chance to search his pockets.

That's all, brother. I've tipped you off. Chances are you won't believe it. Well, take it or leave it. It's your bear trap, not mine.

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Demand Exceeds Supply

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The Agriculture Department reported the supply of fertilizers for domestic use on next year's crops will be near record levels but that farmers' demands, reflecting current favorable prices for agriculture products, are greater than the supply.

Boy Faces Three-Month Jail Wait In Slaying

BOONEVILLE, Ky., Dec. 19 (AP)—A 14-year-old boy described as small for his age today faced a three-month wait in jail until the grand jury convenes to consider the murder charge placed against him in connection with the fatal shooting of his 23-year-old first cousin.

Sheriff Charles McIntosh said the 80-pound youth foresaw no prospect of meeting the $5,000 bond under which he was placed yesterday at an examining trial before County Judge J. M. King.

The boy, Lester Little, is charged with murder in connection with the slaying of Price Little Sunday as the aftermath of an argument over a chain while the boys with three others were engaged in a "shooting match" in a mountain section of Owsley county.

The Navy malaria rate per thousand men in World War II was 15 in 1942, 27 in 1943, nine in 1944, and three in 1945.

Unemployment Benefit Payments Show Increase

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 19—For the third week, unemployment compensation payments showed an increase last week, rising from $173,358 in the preceding seven-day period to $191,466.

The unemployment compensation board reported to Gov. O'Conor today that the county offices last week paid out 2,400 checks totaling $42,307; the Baltimore office 6,906 checks totaling $126,452 and out-of-state claimants received 1,178 checks totaling $22,707.

Meanwhile, adjustment compensation payments to veterans during the week totaled $235,750. They received 3,622 checks in the counties totaling $72,004 and in Baltimore 8,240 checks totaling $163,746.

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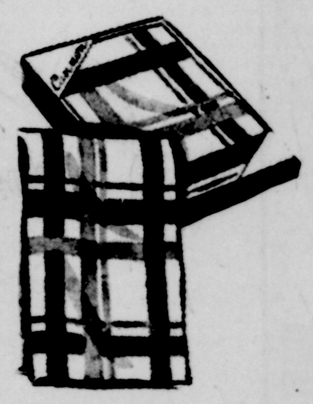

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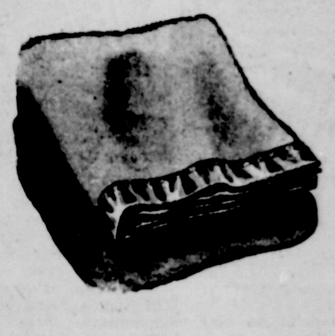

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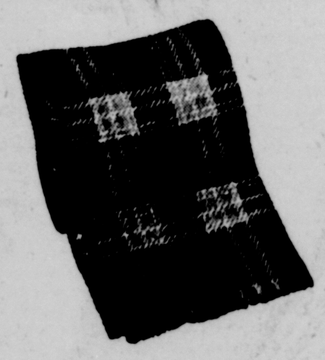

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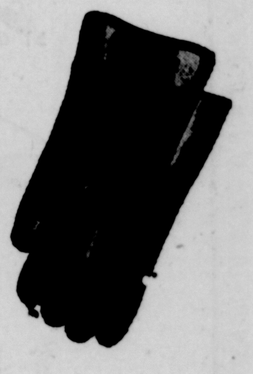

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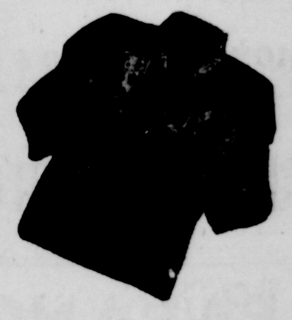

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THE HOLY FAMILY TRADITION STILL LIVES IN PALESTINE

Nazareth's 14,000 People Are Now Preparing For Christmas In Hallowed City

By CARTER L. DAVIDSON
AP Newsfeatures

NAZARETH, Palestine, Dec. 20—Here atop a Galileean mountain, Nazareth's 14,000 people are preparing for Christmas in the grubby little Arab village whose name, virtually unknown 1,946 years ago, has become hallowed for a third of the world's people.

It was here, says the New Testament story, that the young Nazarene Maiden, Mary, engaged to a

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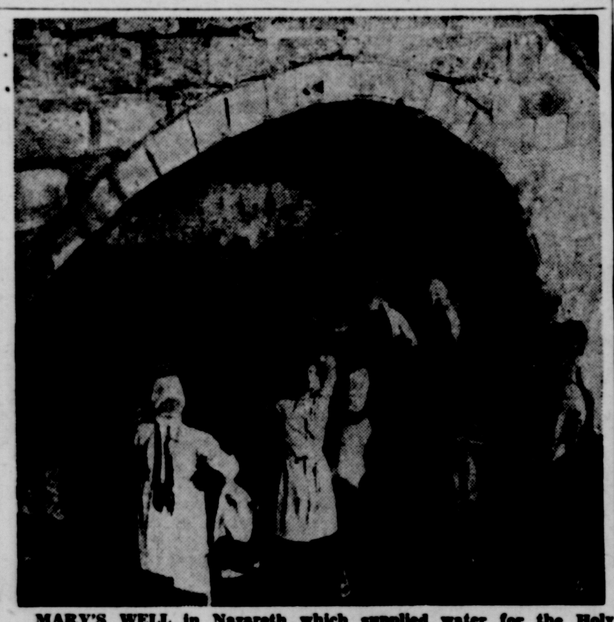
carpenter named Joseph, immaculately conceived the Child that was to give His name to Christendom and dominate the world's philosophy, culture and way of life.

After their marriage, according to both legend and the Bible, about this time of year, Joseph and Mary set out, probably riding donkeys to journey to Bethlehem to pay the taxes demanded by Caesar Augustus. Theologians familiar with the countryside and the way of life of those times estimate the journey at six days, through the Hills of Galilee, the flat plains of Esdraelon and the blue-green mountains of Samaria and Judea.

Home of Wars

Most historians believe Nazareth then was much larger and more prosperous than the dingy, somnolent town of today. Already Nazareth (which means "flower") had played its role in history for this rocky crest in the rich Galilee district had been a launching place for many of the campaigns which laid waste to Jerusalem.



MARY'S WELL in Nazareth which supplied water for the Holy Family and still serves the people of the town. Arab women and children are shown visiting the ancient well.

Twelve miles to the East is the blue Sea of Galilee, where the Virgin Mary's Holy Son was later, according to the Bible, to walk on the water, to still the storm and to recruit the Disciples who later turned His preachments into a religion.

To the northwest twenty miles are Haifa, the Eastern Mediterranean's most thriving harbor, and Acre, famous Crusader port.

Down the coast 25 miles is the site of old Caesarea, where Emperor Titus established his Roman beachhead that was to lead to the destruction of the Temple of Jerusalem and dispersal of the Jews, 70 years after Christ was born.

History on the Plain

The fact that Jesus was conceived in Nazareth, and lived and worked as a carpenter here, has made Nazareth a word known in virtually every language. But Nazarenes have seen other pages of history being written too. This mountain looks down on the Plains of Esdraelon, a prairie-like land that even when Christ was born in Bethlehem, 120 miles to the south, were so bloodsoaked from centuries of warfare that sages called it Armageddon, a place of great battles.

Nazareth since the time of Jesus has seen a succession of Romans, Persians, Arabs, Turks, Crusaders, Tartars, French and British parade past in battle array. And, today Nazarenes look down from their hilltop as Jews and Arabs renew the constant wrestling for Palestine, with Britain in the role of mandatory referee.

In the late 1930's, when Arabs of Palestine revolted for four years against Jewish immigration and colonization, it was the murder of a British official by Arab bandits in a Nazareth Church doorway that was the final straw that led Britain to outlaw the Arab Higher Committee and arrest or exile its leaders.

But people of Nazareth pay little heed to these facets of their history. Their business and their income stems from their role as residents of the Cradle of Christendom. Little Arab girls tat Nazarene lace to sell in curio shops to tourists. Arab boys make cigarette boxes, Bible covers and Rosaries from olive wood, stone and mother of pearl. Guides await tourists and pilgrims who come in thousands yearly.

Holy Places Guarded

Franciscan priests, whose order has been here since 1350, conduct services in churches built over the two Holy Places — the grotto where Jesus lived with his parents for 30 years, and the Place of Annunciation, where tradition says the Angel Gabriel appeared to the Maiden Mary and told her she would conceive "and bring forth a Son, and shall call him Jesus."

There's a military complexion to modern Nazareth, matching the scene here in Jesus' time when Roman centurions were in the streets. Down the same cobblestoned, winding streets today British motorcylists or police vans move. Some 600 Polish Cadets and ATS girls (WACs), remnants of General Anders army that come out of Russia, are attending British-established but Polish-staffed schools while awaiting possible repatriation. They live in barracks and drop in at the Orient restaurant for a glass of Dutch beer or English gin, and a plate of grilled kidneys.

Ten Years of Peace

There is not here, however, the sandbag defense points and the barbed wire entanglements that lace up the rest of Palestine. For this is purely Arab country and for nearly a decade there has been peace and quiet on this hilltop.

Peace and quiet, that is, except for the haggling and wrangling of the Nazarene women when they meet at Mary's Well. The Well is an ancient rock-rimmed spring, reconstructed in 1862 and now equipped with a rickety faucet, where guides say Mary was wont to fetch water to her cave, a hundred yards up the hill.

(Tomorrow, Where Jesus lived)

The period of most rapid expansion for our armed forces in World War II came in the last three months of 1942, the exodus overseas hit its peak early in 1944 and the services demobilized most rapidly in the last three months of 1946.

Markets Will Observe Christmas, New Year's

[By The Associated Press]

The Chicago Board of Trade will observe Saturday closing hours Tuesday, December 24 and 31 and suspend dealings in the grain pit at noon, Central Time. Other principal grain exchanges will do likewise.

The New York Stock and Curb Exchanges will operate until the regular closing time the day before Christmas and New Year's.

All domestic, Canadian and London exchanges will be closed on Christmas day.

A Hot Surprise

THERMOPOLIS, Wyo. (AP)—On a recent trip to Yellowstone National Park, the Rev. Philip Klass stopped at the Morning Glory pool and his thirsty Dalmatian dog leaped from the car, plunged headlong into the clear blue water up to its shoulders and started lapping eagerly, before the astonished animal discovered the water was nearly boiling.

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Dainty and useful! Neat women's corduroy slipper with sateen lining. Thick padded platform. Wine. 4-9
1.47

Children's Slipper
For boys or girls! Practical brown leather slipper that won't slip off. Warm plaid lining. Leather soles. 8-3.
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Ankle High Boot
Keep his feet snug and warm! Heavy fleece fabric boot slipper. Slide-fastener, leather soles. Wine. 6–11.
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Men's Wine Felt Slipper
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Men's Shearling
Give him real comfort in these dark blue electrified shearling slippers. Warm sheepswool inner sole. 6–11.
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Mrs. Keenan Wynn To Sue For Divorce

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 19 (AP) — Mrs. Keenan Wynn informed her actor husband's studio yesterday she would leave early next month for Sun Valley, Idaho, and sue him for divorce there.

By coincidence, Actor Van Johnson, close friend of the comedian, will be at Sun Valley. Mrs. Wynn denied that she and Johnson planned to be married there.

"Van is going to Sun Valley on a vacation," she said. "There will be other Hollywood people there, too. I am going there to join the Gary Coopers."

"Do you and Van plan to be married later?" asked a reporter.

"Who knows?" she answered.

Million New Houses Next Year Predicted

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming estimated yesterday there will be enough materials to build at least 1,000,000 homes in 1947 — 300,000 more than this year.

The chief of the new Office of Temporary Controls offered this prediction to a Senate Small Business Subcommittee which also heard a CIO official and a Pennsylvania mayor vigorously challenge administration junking of most construction curbs.

Both John W. Edelman, CIO legislative representative, and Mayor John H. Snyder, of York, Pa., told the Senate group that lacking controls the prospect is for a serious shortage of materials.

Edelman termed President Truman's elimination of most restrictions in his revised housing program a "real disaster" and predicted "chaos" in the building field.

Airplane Makes Forced Landing On Highway

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Dec. 19 (AP)— Two men escaped critical injury yesterday when a small airplane from Fairmont made a forced landing on United States Route 250 about five miles from the city.

State police said William Arnett, 26, and Linn Mayes, 19, both of Fairmont and both ex-servicemen, were brought to hospitals here but the extent of their injuries had not been fully determined. They were not believed serious.

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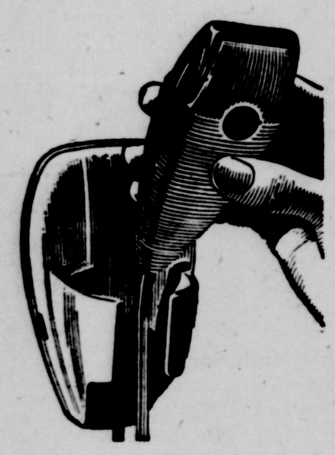

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Stock Market Stages One Of Best And Speediest Runups Of Month

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP) — The stock market today enjoyed one of its best and speediest runups of the month with buying apparently touched off by hopes, or expectations, of a year-end rally.

Gain of fractions to two or more points—there were a few jumps of five or so by "thin" blue chips—were widespread after some hesitancy following the opening. Volume reached 500,000 shares in the second hour. Profit taking on the swing then developed, the pace slowed and top marks were reduced in the majority of cases at the close. The day's aggregate of 1,740,000 shares compared with 1,110,000 Wednesday and was the largest since December 9.

Eastman Kodak was up 5⅞ points at 229 on 300 shares, du Pont three at 190, Dow Chemical 4½ at 177, Chrysler 2½ at 89¾, Union Pacific 2⅝ at 134, United States Plywood 2¼ at 74 (a 1947 peak), United States Steel 1¼ at 73½ and Western Union "A" one at 20 (following a petition for boosted telegraph rates).

Ahead were Bethlehem, General Motors, United States Rubber, Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, Deere, Oliver Corporation, Columbia Gas, Commonwealth and Southern, Kennecott, American Smelting, American Can, Allied Chemical, United States Gypsum, Standard Oil (NJ), Reynolds Tobacco "B", American Rolling Mill, Gulf Oil, Texas Company, Santa Fe, Southern Railway and International Nickel.

American Telephone ended off one eighth at 167¼. Small recessions were shown for Pennsylvania Railroad and Goodyear.

Curb gainers included Consolidated Steel, Kennedy's, Niagara Hudson Power, Singer Manufacturing and Textron. Turnover here was 540,000 shares versus 340,000 yesterday.

The rail group reached the highest average level in three months in a broad advance in the bond market.

Turnover expanded to $6,390,000 from $4,872,000 Wednesday.

United States governments in the over-the-counter market developed a strong price undertone, with the Victory Loan December 2½s of '67-'72 up 3-32 at 102 23-32 bid.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Stock list, today's close:

Air Redn	35⅞	Minn Mol	104
Alg Corp	4⅛	M K & T	7⅞
Al C D	174½	M Ward	63
Am Can	90½	Nat Bis	28¾
Am C Fd	50½	Nat Dis	21½
Am Rdr	15⅞	Y Cen	19
Am R Mill	36⅝	Norf Wsn	239
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Position Of Treasury

Washington, Dec. 19 (AP)—The position of the Treasury December 17:

Receipts, $485,567,721.07; expenditures, $228,607,868.88; balance, $3,696,870,699.67; customs receipts for month, $26,464,799.93; receipts fiscal year July 1, $16,546,311,628.05; expenditures fiscal year $16,369,346,632.48; excess of receipts, $176,964,995.57; total debt, $259,081,991,902.57; decrease under previous day, $15,097,854.20; gold assets, $20,478,203,671.02.

New York Produce

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (AP)—Eggs 25,692 irregular. New York spot quotations follow: (based on wholesale sales by receivers to jobbers and large retailers.) Whites: Extra fancy heavyweights, midwest 55-56; nearby 57-58; extras 1 and 2 large, midwest 50-54; nearby 50-54; extras 1 medium, midwest 48; nearby 50-51.

Butter 593,000; irregular. Wholesale prices on bulk cartons: Creamery, higher than 92 score and premium marks (AA) 84.5-85.5; 92 score (A) 84; 90 score (B) 81-81.5; 89 score (C) 78-79. (New tubs usually command one-half cent a pound over the bulk carton price).

Pittsburgh Produce

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19 (AP) — (USDA)—Produce demand moderate.

Apples five cars, steady. U. S. No. 1 bushel baskets Pennsylvania Rome Beauties 2.75-3.00, Staymans 2.75-3.25, Delicious 3.00-3.50, Black Twiggs 2.60-75; West Virginia Rome Beauties 3.00-3.25; Virginia Grimes Goldens 2.75-3.00, Staymans 3.25-50; eastern crates New York McIntosh 3.25-50, Cortlands 2.50-3.00, Wealthies 2.75-3.00.

Potatoes 13 cars, about steady. U. S. No. 1 100 lb sacks Pennsylvania Sebagos 2.00-2.25; Maine Katahdins 2.40-50, 50 lb sacks 1.20-25, 15 lb sacks 32-43; New York Katahdins 100 lb sacks 2.25; Idaho Russet Burbanks 3.50-75; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs 3.00-3.25.

Eggs grade AA and A extra large 59-66, large 56-64, mediums 46-60; grade B large 62-60; dirties and checks 29-33; trades 32-38; government graded and sealed in cartons grade A extra large 65, grade A large 60.

Baltimore Livestock

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19 (AP) (USDA) Cattle—600—500 holdovers not included, total salable 1,100; general market very slow; slaughter steers 1.00 lower than Monday of this week; early sales she stock about steady, but undertone very weak; bulls steady; stockers and feeders slow, no early sales; top good and choice short fed 850-1265 lbs. steers 24.00-25.00; several loads average good 22.50-23.50; medium and low good 17.50-21.00; few common down to 15.00; medium to average good heifers 15.00-20.00; common 12.00-14.50; few good young heifer type beef cows 17.50-18.00; common and medium largely 11.50-14.50, high yielding kind 15.00-16.00; canners and cutters 8.50-11.50; good beef bulls 16.50-18.00; two head 19.00; medium and good weighty sausage bulls 15.00-16.00; light and medium weight 11.50-14.50.

Calves—300—vealers active, early sales steady with Wednesday; mixed lots good and choice 120-220 lb. 21.00-23.00; common and medium 14.00-19.00; culls down to 10.00, underweights down to 5.00; weighty slaughter calves scarce, steady; few common and medium 11.00-15.00.

Hogs—600—very slow; all barrows, gilts and sows 1.00 lower than Wednesday; practical top 21.50; good and choice barrows and gilts from 120-140 lbs. 20.25; 140-155 lbs. 20.75; 155-260 lbs. 21.50; 260-300 lbs. 21.00; 300-350 lbs. 20.50; 350 lbs. up 19.25; good and choice sows 18.25.

Sheep — 200 — slaughter lambs scarce, active, steady with Wednesday; scattered small lots good and choice 80-110 lb. wooled lambs 23.00-25.00; common and medium 15.00-19.00; culls down to 12.00; slaughter ewes active, steady; good and choice 8.00-9.00; common and medium 4.00-7.50; culls down to 3.00.

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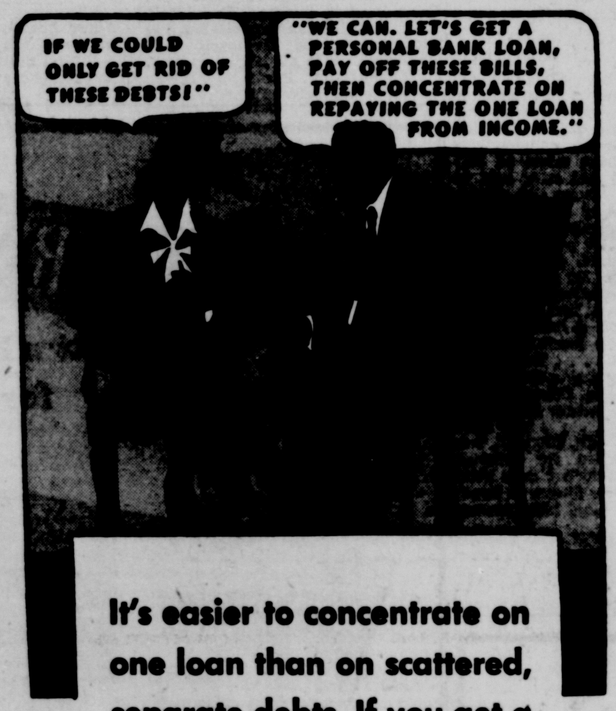

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OLD JUDGE: "You must be using distillers' dried grains, Claude."

CLAUDE: "I sure do, Judge, whenever I can get them. They are the best protein feeds I've ever used. I figure I get anywhere from 25 to 30 per cent more butterfat when I use them in my dairy ration."

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— STRAWS IN THE WIND

BROADWAY

By DANTON WALKER

Incidental Intelligence

This Wacky World! In Oak Ridge, Tenn. there is an Atomic City Music Publishing Co. . . . In Corpus Christi, Tex., there is a tavern which for six years has paid no rent. The building is owned by a group of Baptists, ardent prohibitionists, who declined to accept money tainted by liquor. . . . In Newfoundland the juke boxes give "South America, Take It Away" and "Doin' What Comes Natchully" in their original versions; in the States these ditties are censored for such public consumption. . . . In New York, if you have no clock or watch handy and can't remember how to get the time by telephone, all you have to do is to dial n-e-r-v-o-u-s and the operator will give it to you. . . . Another way of telling the time, approximately (according to columnist George Eckhardt in the N. Y. Sun) is to tie a string around a quarter, suspend it over an empty glass, with the string held between thumb and forefinger. The coin will strike the nearest hour on the glass. Try it.

The painting of "Washington Crossing the Delaware," which you may see in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, is only a copy. The original was destroyed by a British bombing attack on Bremen, Germany, whence it had been taken in 1863 for a repair job and later sold to Germany. . . . Among the surplus property now being advertised for sale by the Government are 2,370 shoe laces and 1,430 matches; wood, safety; also 248,400 razor blades. . . . Among the 700 conscientious objectors still in federal penitentiaries there is one, Igal Roodenko, who has been on a hunger strike and kept alive by forcible feeding since May 11, 1946. . . . Even marijuana cigarets are ersats these days; the peddlers dope up Cuban tobacco with aspirin and catnip and sell it for the real thing. . . . The Lord Mayor of Portsmouth, England, was arrested and tried for violating England's food rationing laws after giving a four-course dinner in honor of Field Marshal Lord Montgomery.

Felix (Billy) Knight, who recently made his Metropolitan Opera debut in "The Barber of Seville," is one of a family of ten children who used to cut each others' hair to save dough when they were kids in Pensacola, Fla. . . . Proceeds from Alan Jones' RCA-Victor recording of "The Donkey's Serenade" will put his youngest son Jackie, through college. The record was made on Jackie's first birthday. . . . The paintings of Brooklyn Bridge on the street-side windows at Bill Hardy's Gay Nineties restaurant were made by Richard Whorf, now one of Hollywood's most successful actor-directors, when Dick was a struggling actor, working for meals.

Dorothy Sarnoff, the operatic soprano, got her start in the chorus line at Radio City Music Hall. . . . Before winning the Met Opera Auditions of the Air, Eleanor Steber paid for her singing lessons by playing jazz in a Boston dancing school. . . . Mario Berini, another Met singer, was discovered by Giovanni Martinelli singing in the chorus of the San Francisco Opera Co. years ago, where he spent 14 years. . . . Mona Paulee's husband, Dean Holt, is not only her accompanist but her pilot as well; they fly together, by private plane to all her concerts. . . . Diana Lynn, Paramount screen starlet, is an accomplished recording pianist whose Capitol albums are best-sellers. . . . Jon Hall is a landowner (in Florida), a speedboat designer and builder and gives flying lessons when not otherwise engaged. Among his flying pupils are Claudette Colbert, Julie Bishop and Alan Curtis.

Angelo Mezzetti, a waiter at Billy Rose's Diamond Horseshoe, owns those $200,000 French paintings that once graced the liner Normandie's salon. . . . Kathryn Kuhn, the costume designer, has about 18 branch telephones in her salon, all identified by colors instead of numbers (pink, blue, green, yellow, etc) . . . Movie producer Vic Knight has invented and patented a "ready made garden" and assigned it to Dupont. The garden consists of two sheets of soluable cellulose between which properly spaced and selected flower seeds are placed. The garden is planted and in due time it pops up in patterns of color. . . . The owner of a new nite spot on West 45th St., New York, (Dan Serber) can't make up his mind whether to call it Danny's Inferno or the St. James Infirmary, so will call it by both names until the public makes a choice.

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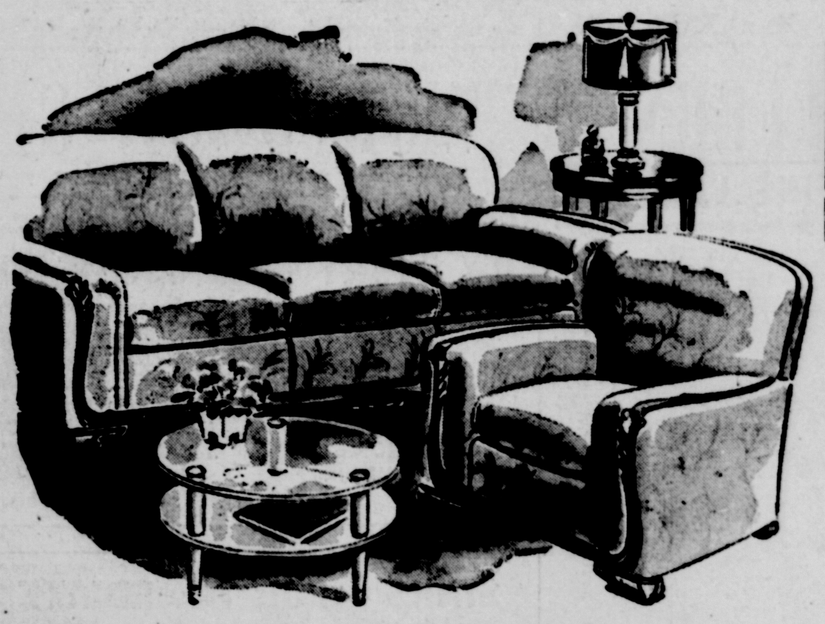

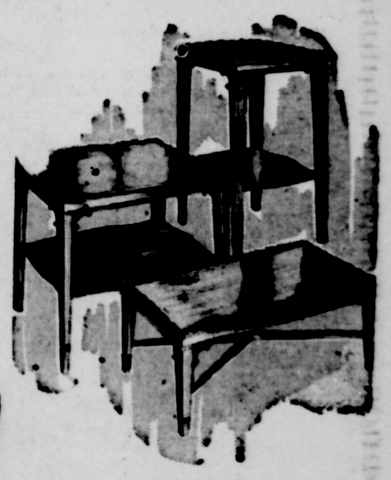

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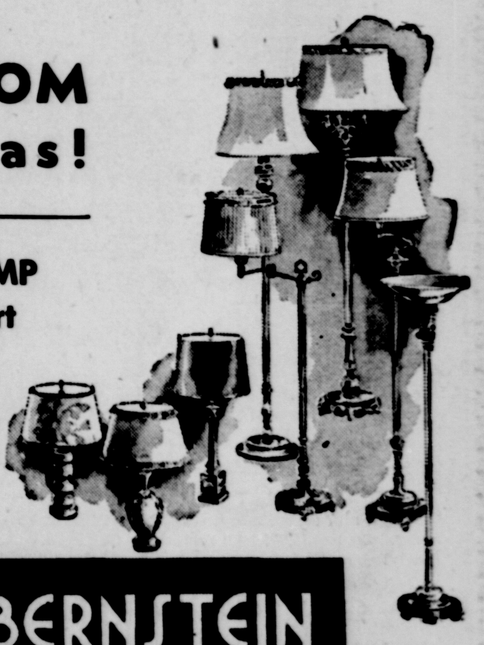

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Wives Bound For Overseas Get Some Tips

By CLARKE BEACH

AP Newsfeatures

WASHINGTON — So you're going to join your husband at his overseas station.

Well, everything has been carefully arranged. You and the children will be reasonably comfortable on the ship, and you should find things pleasant enough in your new home. Army officers have been smoothing the way for you.

But, please—say the officers—read your instructions when you get them.

"Some girls just throw on their hats and slam their suitcases shut the minute they get their port call," said one of the G-4 officers in charge of moving dependents.

"They don't bother to read past the first line of the instructions and turn up late. Or they come a few days early and get in everybody's way, and get mixed up in the contingent who are sailing on the ship ahead of them. Some don't bring the baggage they are told to bring. Others put in a lot of stuff they are warned not to pack."

More than 28,000 dependents have been sent overseas since the war ended. Those who have been overseas a year will begin to return to the United States in April, 1947, and it is estimated that there will be more than 100,000 inbound and outbound in 1947.

You must have a certain amount of money to finance the trip, but there is a top limit on the amount you can take. You should take along all the baby food you'll need for a long time (but if you forget, maybe the Post Exchange, or Commissary will be able to supply Junior's wants. At least, they try to keep a stock on hand.)

You can take pets to some of the overseas stations, but they can't travel with you. The army transports them in cargo ships.

If you have eight or ten children, don't worry about taking care of them aboard ship. Most ship captains farm them out among the adult passengers who don't have children, making each one responsible for a child for the duration of the voyage.

If things aren't handled as smoothly as you'd like, remember that the officers in charge have their problems. The majority of the wives have never been on the ocean before. Some have never even been on trains.

If you want to surprise everybody, write a letter of appreciation to the War Department after you are happily reunited with your husband. The department gets a lot of letters from the wives, but it's nearly all gripe mail. The satisfied travelers never seem to write.

Santa Lucia, one of the British Windward Islands, is known as "Helen of the West Indies."

His Dear's Prize Beats His Prize Deer

HENRIETTA, Okla (AP) — Alva Buchanan arrived home from a Colorado hunting trip with a two-point, 125-pound deer but his wife wasn't around to witness the nimrod's triumphant entrance.

After a few minutes, Buchanan heard his wife at the door. He was set to tell of his exploits when he spotted Mrs. Buchanan and remained silent.

She had been fishing and returned with a full catch, including a prize six-pound blue catfish.

Rock Salt Mined For Cattle 'Licks'

REDMOND, Utah (AP) — Utah's Great Salt Lake has enough brine to give the western population all the salt it needs for many a year, but in addition, this state has the only rock salt mine between Kansas and the Pacific coast.

The mine, in south-central Utah, was found 50 years ago by William Poulson. Members of the Poulson family blast out the salt with a slow black powder, then break the chunks into smaller pieces with air hammers. For 25 years the salt has been sold only for livestock "licks" on western cattle ranges.

The Will Rogers Memorial near Claremore, Okla., cost $200,000.

As Ye Sow, Ye Reap, Parson Finds

FAIRLAND, Ind. (AP)—Nobody worked harder than Parson James W. Cox when Brandywine Methodists harvested 2,000 bushels of corn from a 40-acre farm the church rented. Fairland merchants chipped in with farming supplies at cost or free. And a local buyer paid a premium rate of $1.25 a bushel for the crop.

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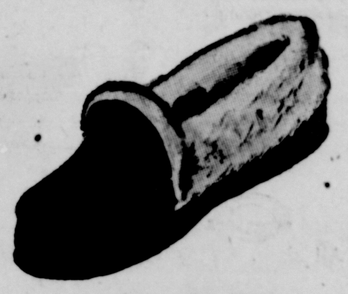

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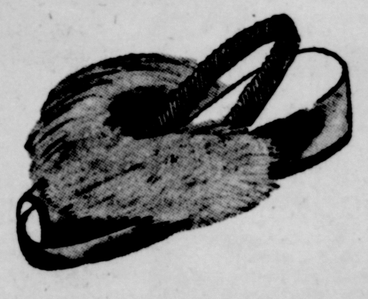

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Frostburg Church Group To Present Dramatic Cantata

Senior Choir Of Welsh Baptist Plans Event Sunday Night

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, Dec. 19 — The senior choir of Welsh Baptist Memorial Church will present a dramatic cantata, "The Perfect Gift," Sunday evening, December 22, in the church auditorium, with Mrs. Mary McLuckie directing and Emily Reese playing the organ accompaniments.

The cast of characters will include Miss Elizabeth Workman as Dame Griselda; Mary Beth Davis as Karen, a niece; Margaret Walsh as Martha, a neighbor; Juanita Poling as Mary, and Althea Yenshaw as an angel. The soloists will be Mrs. Alvinia Cole and Mrs. W. D. Reese. The choir will sing a number of anthems and Christmas carols.

The annual Christmas program of the primary and intermediate departments of the Sunday school will be held Monday night at the church. The program will include duets, solos, plays and carols. Santa Claus will make a personal appearance and present a treat to the children.

The program will be in charge of Mrs. Mary McLuckie with all the teachers assisting. Mrs. Eira Dorn will be the pianist.

Play To Be Presented

A Christmas play, "No Room at the Inn," will be presented Sunday, December 22 at 7:30 p. m. at First English Baptist Church by the pupils of the Sunday school under the direction of Mrs. H. O. Walters and Mrs. Dorothy Beall. Miss Della Offman will have charge of the costuming. Mrs. G. Kear Hosken will play the piano accompaniments.

The cast of characters will include Mary Virginia Wiebrecht as the mother; Marjorie Hosken as Malather; James Spitznas, as the father, and Larry Grim as the innkeeper of Bethlehem.

The nativity scene will be portrayed by Sally Stewart as Mary; Raymond Thomas as Joseph; and Donna Lewis and April Ann Richardson as cherubs. The angel trio will consist of Neva Geary, soloist; Ellen Ann Morgan and Virginia Lee Reese. James Elias, Thomas Stewart and John Rankin will be the Wise Men and William Thomas, Jack Winebrenner and Norman Geary will be the shepherds.

Nativity Service Set

A Christmas nativity candlelight service will be presented Monday at 8 p. m. at John Wesley Methodist Church under the direction of Miss Alice Holley, with Mrs. Alex G. Close playing the piano accompaniments. Solos to be part of the program are "Angels From the Realm of Glory" and "O Holy Night," by Miss Gloria Taylor; "White Christmas," James Taylor; "Away in a Manger" and "Jesus Christ," by Miss Ursula Taylor, and "Hear The Bells on Christmas Day" and "Silent Night," by Miss Alice Holley.

Miss Dorothy Taylor will contribute a reading, "The Night Before Christmas," and the congregational numbers will be "O Come All Ye Faithful," "Hark the Harold Angels Sing" and other well known Christmas carols. The Scripture readings will be by Miss Bertha Carter and Mrs. Ida Biggs.

Following the program, the group will go on a carol singing tour.

To Hold Program

A children's program will be given Sunday, December 22 at 7:30 p. m. at the Church of the Brethren, corner of Stoyer and Beall streets, under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Chaney and Miss Pearl Miller.

The program will include a pageant by Donna, Dallas, Rose Lee Chaney and Carol Keister; poems recited by Darlene Logue, Virginia Kiester, Wilma Jean Wilson, Marvin Chaney, Vernon, Derald and Bernard Wampler, Virginia Lee and Ruth Marie Irwin, Ray, Vera, Lottie and Sterling DeVault, Charles McFarland, Charles Thompson, Ronald Coleman, Buddy and Margaret Miller, Donna Jean Willings, David and Lowell Platter, Gail and Patsy Conlon, Homer Friend, Gary DeVault and Robert Stevenson.

Musical reading by Doris McFarland; duet, "There's A Song In The Air" by Dallas and Donna Chaney, duet, "The Precious Story" by Doris Wellings and Doris McFarland, solos, by Carolyn Cramer and Darlene Logue; Christmas songs by group, "Christmas Bells," "The Secret of the Stars," "Away in a Manger" and "Silent Night."

Tucker County Church Announces Christmas Plans

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, Dec. 19—The churches of this county will observe the Christmas season with special services to be held which will include the First Methodist Church of Parsons. At the regular church school hour a program "The Dearest Gift" will be presented by the children of that church under the direction of Mrs. J. Plummer Baker, Mrs. James H. Lotspeich and Mrs. Louis Williams.

In the evening at 7:30, the choir will have a program of special music which will include the songs "Bells of Christmas", "A Savior, Christ the Lord", and "Song of the Ages". Mrs. Eugenia Pickens and Miss Louise Williams will sing a vocal duet "Tenderly Sleeping". Miss Jane Lotspeich will sing "Jesus Bambino" and Miss Kathleen Hall will also sing a vocal solo. Miss Joanna Blackburn will play "Silent Night" and Mrs. Lotspeich and her daughter Jane will play an organ and piano solo "Christmas Memories". The Chancel choir will sing "Noel", "Silent Night", "Watts Carol" and "Christmas Prayer with Alleluias".

St. John's Lutheran

Rev. J. Bruce Kaufman, pastor of the St. John's Lutheran Church, of Davis, stated that the Sunday school and the church will have a joint service on Sunday morning December 22, at 10 o'clock at which time he will deliver his Christmas message.

On Sunday evening at 7:30 the young people of the church under the direction of Miss Lily Aronson will present the pageant "The Child Divine". Special solos will be by Miss Nancy Smith who will sing "Holy Night". Patsy Newcomer will sing "Mary's Lullabye", Miss Georgianna Beyer will sing "Silent Night". and Miss Eleanor Newcomer will play "Christmas Interludes" William Miller and Janet Saygers will sing a duet "Watchman Tell us of the Night". At the conclusion of the pageant the members of the group will conduct a special candlelighting service.

Presbyterian Churches

Rev. Andrew B. Mann, pastor of the Presbyterian churches of Thomas and Davis announced that both of his churches will have special services on Sunday, December 22, with the church in Thomas having their regular church school program at the ten o'clock hour In the evening at 7:30 a pageant "The Shepherd's Story" will be presented under the direction of Mrs. Wayne Cornwall with Andrew B. Mann, son of the pastor and student of Davis and Elkins college taking the solo parts. Music will be by Miss Carol Ann Cooper . The closing will feature a joy gift candlelight service.

In Davis, the regular services will be conducted at 10 o'clock with the pastor using as his topic "The Story of the Shepherds". Special music will be rendered and Andrew Mann will again be the soloist. The program is under the direction of Mrs. O. Z. Harr.

On Sunday evening following the church service in Thomas the youth of the church will sing Christmas carols throughout the town and on Christmas eve the youth of the Presbyterian church and the Methodist church will sing carols again with a party to be held in the Methodist church parlors at the conclusion of the singing.

St. John's Methodist

Rev. O. M. Botts, pastor of the St. John's Methodist church, announced that their church will have their special service in observance of Christmas on Sunday evening, December 22 at 7:30 p. m. The first part of the program will be songs and recitations by the children under the direction of Mrs. Robert Burns and Mrs. Charles Pleasants

The pageant, "The Light of Bethlehem" under the direction of Miss Loretta Shrout with music by Mrs. J. Harold Felton will follow and is a candlelighting service. Miss Joann Felton and Donald Roy will be the readers for the pageant. The adult choir will sing three selections from the cantata "Tidings of Joy."

Presbyterian Church

Rev. Harold D. Shiflet, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Parsons announced that his church will have its special service at the Youth Fellowship hour of 6 o'clock Sunday evening at which time a pageant, "The Shepherd's Story" will be presented under the direction of Luther Bennett. Music will be by the adult and Young People's choir. At 11 o'clock the pastor will deliver the sermon, "The Christmas Spirit."

On Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. services will be held in the Presbyterian church in Hambleton with Miss Helen Stemple playing a piano solo, "Silent Night" and the children's choir will sing "Silent Night."

Hendricks Methodist

W. H. Ryan, of Hendricks, is sponsoring the program to be held in the Methodist church there on Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. at which time a two part program will be presented. The first part will be for the children under the direction of Mrs. Thomas Hedrick. The second part of the program will be a pageant, "Christ Is Born" with Mrs. Carol Sue Carr as the reader and Mrs. Hazel Lantz as pianist.

Chamber Elects Officers

Robert W. Minear was elected as president of the Chamber of Commerce to succeed R. K. McClain at the recent business meeting held in the court house at which time the following officers were also elected.

Ben F. Harris, vice president; Theodore T. Dorman, second vice president; Cecil M. Stalnaker, secretary, and Robert O. Shrout, treasurer.

A committee composed of Ben F. Harris, Ralph Stewart and Theodore T. Dorman was named to make plans for a banquet to be held in January for all members, friends and their ladies at which time the accomplishments of the organization will be outlined as well as plans for the future.

A committee composed of Dr. Guy Michaels, James English and C. M. Stalnaker was also named to make suggestions for the revision of the by-laws and will make their report at the next meeting of the board.

Sprouted potatoes may be eaten if they are peeled. The sprouts should never be eaten!

Mary C. Mauzy, Retired School Teacher, Dies

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Dec. 19—Miss Mary Christine Mauzy, retired teacher, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Ira L. Ravenscroft, 284 South Main street, at 3:50, Wednesday afternoon. She was a native of Greenbriar county, W. Va., and a daughter of the late Richard and Mary Matthews Mauzy, Lewisburg.

During her active life she was engaged in the teaching profession, retiring in June 1946 at Morganton, N. C., where she had been employed. She came to Keyser in October to make her home with Mrs. Ravenscroft. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. E. M. Purdy, Keyser. Besides Mrs. Ravenscroft she is survived by two other nieces and a nephew, Mrs. Irene Kimble, Keyser; Mrs. Christine Frey, Grafton, and Vincent Lacy, Keyser.

Funeral services will be held at the Ravenscroft home, Saturday at 2:30 p. m., with Rev. John C. B. McLaughlin, pastor First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment will be in Meadow Point Cemetery.

Jurors Drawn

The Mineral county jury commissioners met Wednesday and drew the jurors for the January term of court; sixteen grand jurors to meet Tuesday, January 21, and forty-eight petit jurors to meet Monday, January 27.

Barton High To Have Christmas Program Today

By DAVID E. KIRK

BARTON, Dec. 19—The annual Christmas program of Barton High School will be presented Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock, in the school auditorium by the seventh grade under the direction of Miss Mary Major, instructor.

The program will be: flag salute, audience, led by Paul Metz; song, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," audience; scripture reading, Billy Hyde; Lord's Prayer, audience; poems, "The Christmas Story," Paul Bailey, Bobby Wilson and Sonny Kyle; and "The Three Kittens," Freda Broadwater; trumpet selection, Billy Hyde and Billy Robertson; poem, "We Three Kings," Estella Porter; Christmas playlet, "Christmas Customs," seventh grade; singing of carols, audience; and remarks, Alfred H. Benna, principal.

Following the program the school will be dismissed until January 6.

All parents are invited to attend this program, Benna stated.

Green Breaks Arm

Clarence (Bert) Green, Laurel Hill Road, suffered a broken arm and hip Tuesday evening when he fell over a culvert while en route home after visiting a neighbor nearby.

He was taken to Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, where his condition was reported fair today.

Christmas Party Held

The annual Christmas party of the Barton High School was held last evening in the school auditorium, under the direction of the senior class, with T. E. Conroy, class advisor; Elaine McDonald, president; and Maxine Broadwater, general chairman, in charge.

Round dancing was the feature of the evening with music being furnished by The Diplomats' orchestra. The number dance was won by Victor Bender and Maxine Miller.

During the evening hats were given to all attending, Santa Claus distributed gifts to the students, and singing of carols were held arbund the tree.

The auditorium was decorated with streamers of green, red and white and a tree was used for the centerpiece.

Refreshments were served under the direction of Anna Kyle, Bernice Broadwater and Betty Llewellyn. Other committee members included Ruth Kyle, Ruth McCutcheon and Norma Schramm, decoration; Norma Wilson and Maxine Miller, gift exchange; and Mary Warnick, entertainment.

The affair was attended by 120 persons.

Brief Mention

The annual Christmas dinner was served at the Barton High School today with 150 persons attending, T. E. Conroy, cafeteria director, stated.

Barton Chapter No. 371, Order of Eastern Star, will hold its annual Christmas party Monday evening, 8 o'clock in the Odd Fellow's Hall, Hall street. The committee in charge has arranged for a program, gift exchange and refreshments.

Mrs. Maude C. Kirk and Mrs. Margaret Houdersheldt entertained their Sunday School classes of the Presbyterian Church with a party held in the church's social room this evening. Games and singing of Christmas carols were the evening's entertainment followed by the serving of refreshments. The affair was attended by 12 persons.

The highest temperature recorded in Honolulu in the last 55 years was 90 degrees in October, 1891, the lowest 52 degrees in 1902.

Miss Elsie Martin Becomes Bride Of Orland Weese

By MYRTLE PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 19—Mrs. James Martin announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Elsie Martin, South Petersburg to Orland Weese, son of Mrs. Mary Jane Weese, which took place December 15, with Rev. White, Cumberland, Md. performing the single ring ceremony there.

Mrs. Weese was attired in a navy blue dress with which she wore white accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds. She was a student at Johnson Run school, South Petersburg.

Mr. Weese is engaged in trucking and served over three years in the Navy receiving an honorable discharge in January 1946.

After a trip to eastern cities they will reside with Mrs. Weese' mother near here.

Personals

Bryan Franklin Mitchell, Jr., who is a student at Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., will arrive home for the holidays this week.

William Smith, South Petersburg, remains ill at his home.

George and Jack Ours, students at Greenbrier Military Academy, Lewisburg, W. Va., will arrive home tomorrow to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Sheriff and Mrs. G. R. Ours.

C. H. Park is spending today at Mt. Savage, Md. on business.

Dr. Myrtle E. Sutton Park, Moorefield, was here yesterday visiting Mrs. C. L. Lord and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Schaffer and son George moved yesterday from the Harman property on Highland Avenue to Park Inn.

The Petersburg Brethren church will present its Christmas program in the church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

The United Brethren church will present a Christmas Cantata in the church Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock and the children's program will be presented Sunday morning at 10:30 with a visit from Santa Claus.

D. P. Day, Cumberland, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day on Grove street.

Mrs. C. E. King and Mrs. Lena Day returned yesterday from Cumberland.

William Conlon, Lawrence, Mass., arrived yesterday as an assistant with the U. S Weather Bureau here. Mrs. Conlon and son will arrive here as soon as living quarters can be found.

Word has been received here that Gordon Hott is a patient in the Fort Howard Army hospital at Fort Howard, Maryland, and that he expects to be there for some time for treatment. Mr. Hott is a son of the late William Hott, and Mrs. Lula Hott, Arthur, and served in World War one.

Veterans Affairs Discussed At Piedmont Meeting

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Dec. 19—C. S. Collier, Charleston, W. Va., first assistant to director of veterans affairs was the principal speaker at a conference held Tuesday afternoon at the American Legion Home at Piedmont, W. Va., of Kelly-Mansfield Post No. 52 with the local veteran's committee recently appointed by Governor Clarence Meadows of West Virginia.

Other speakers were W. R. Merrifield, deputy director employment division department of veterans affairs, and Robert C. Fashbaugh, deputy director of division information also of Charleston. Grover Evick, department director of Martinsburg, W. Va., was also present. Ray Burg, chairman of the local committee presided.

The work of the local committee was outlined by Mr. Collier, who pointed out the advantages to be received by the veterans in being provided all of the benefits derived by the Federal GI bill of Rights which have been adopted by Congress. Particular problems of local veterans were discussed.

Mayor Harold Fredlock of Piedmont, was appointed chairman of the local committee of job training. Other members named were Daniel Staley and Frank Borges. Albert Kaiser was voted a member of the local committee. Following the round table discussion a dinner was served.

Scouts Attend Party

The Christmas party held for the Boy and Girl scouts of the Tri-Towns District at the Piedmont high school Monday evening was attended by 225 scouts and leaders. Troops of the district represented included Franklin, Md., Lonaconing and Boy and Girl Scouts of Barton, Luke, Piedmont and Westernport.

Games were played. A short moving picture was shown. Dr. Donald P. Whitworth led group singing of Christmas carols. Refreshments were served.

Brief Items

The Christmas dance sponsored by the Alumni Association of Bruce high school, has been cancelled, Hugh Wilson, president, announces. He said the reason it would not be held that the floor was not in condition for dancing.

Capt. Woods, of West Virginia, spoke about the U. S. O. drive at the weekly luncheon of the Tri-Towns Rotary Club yesterday at the Westernport service center.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Ritchie, Main street, Westernport, announce the birth of a daughter in the Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

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Swanton Youths Enlist In Marine Corps

Randell B. O'Brien, 18, Swanton, and Frank R. Mattingly, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Mattingly, Swanton, have enlisted in the Marine Corps for three years' general service, according to Staff Sgt. Murrel W. Brainerd, local Marine recruiter.

O'Brien was graduated from Oakland High School in June, and Mattingly was graduated this year from Bruce High School, Westernport.

Capt. M. A. Bruder, assistant officer in charge of Marine recruiting for the Baltimore district, accompanied by Staff Sgt. Nile L. Wells, came here yesterday to inspect the local recruiting station.

Taber Accepts UNNRA Position In China

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19 (AP) — F. Wallace Taber, who organized the group, announced today his resignation as executive director of the League of Maryland Sportsmen and as editor of its official publication, the "Rally Sheet."

Taber, who directed the show held recently in Baltimore by the federation of hunting and fishing organizations, has accepted the position of fishery coordinating officer with UNRRA in China. He will be stationed in Shanghai.

The league delegates have authorized Glenn L. Martin, airplane manufacturer and sportsman who is president of the organization, to name a committee to consider applicants for Taber's job.

Electric Arc Resulted In Crash Of Airliner

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — The Civil Aeronautics Board reported today that the fire which led to the crash of a Trans-World Airlines Lockheed Constellation near Reading, Pa., July 11 probably resulted from an arc between a part of the electrical system and the metal skin of the fuselage.

Five of six men in a training flight were killed and shortly afterward all Constellations were grounded while the accident was investigated and changes were made in the model.

The Kerosene Tree

BRISBANE, Australia (AP) — A tree which burns readily even when freshly cut has helped many a Queensland stockman to light a fire in heavy rain. This very inflammable tree is known as the kerosene tree in the Queensland bush; more prosaic botanists call it halfordia scleroxylon.

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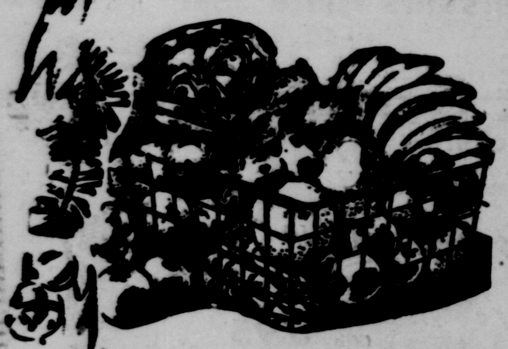
Grapefruit	Heavy With Juice Texas—Size 80	. . 6 For	**29c**
Red Delicious Apples		2 Lbs.	**29c**
Sweet Potatoes	Jersey Kiln-dried	3 Lbs.	**29c**



PASCAL CELERY	Extra Large Crisp 24's	stalk	25c
ICEBERG LETTUCE	Dewey-fresh 40's	2 heads	23c
YELLOW ONIONS	Eastern	5 Lb. Bag	21c
POTATOES	U. S. No. 1 Penna.	Peck Bag	47c
CRANBERRIES	Fancy Late Howe	Lb.	43c
LEAF LETTUCE		Lb.	15c
PITTED DATES	Imported	Lb.	29c
ROME AND WINESAP APPLES		4 Lbs.	31c

English Walnuts	Fine Quality	Lb.	**43c**
Large Pecans	Paper Thin Shells	Lb.	**45c**

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Light and Medium HENS	Light Weight TOMS 16-20 Lbs.	Medium And Heavy TOMS Over 20 Lbs.
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65c	**55c**	**49c**

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SMOKED PICNICS.....Lb. 43c
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FRESH PORK LOINS.....Lb. 43c
Rib End Roast . . . Small Size

BULK MINCE MEAT.....Lb. 29c
Extra Fancy Quality

FRESH, FULLY DRESSED ROASTING **Chickens** Lb. **59c**

FRESH, FULLY DRESSED **Fowl . . .** Lb. **49c**

FANCY, FULLY DRESSED, Long Island **Ducklings** Lb. **55c**

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PIE CRUST MIX Simple Simon . . . Fine Quality	9-oz.		16c
SALAD DRESSING That Famous Sultana Brand	16-oz.		24c
EVAP. MILK White House .. 6 cans 660 Units Vitamin D, Per Pint			75c

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SUNNYBROOK EGGS Fresh, Large, Grade "A" . . . Guaranteed	Doz.	65c
FRESH ROLL BUTTER Silverbrook . . . Mild	Lb.	89c
FRESH DAISY CHEESE White or Colored	Lb.	59c

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FRUIT CAKES Jane Parker . . . Over 60% Fruits and Nuts	1-Lb. Size	2.25
STUFFING BREAD Harvel Enriched . . blends with seasoning	Loaf	16c
DATED DONUTS Jane Parker, 6 sugared, 6 plain	Dozen	20c
COFFEE CAKES Old Fashioned . . . Delicious	Each	39c
SPICE DROP COOKIES Tasty Christmas Treat	Pkg.	30c

Canned Foods for the Holiday Feast

A & P PUMPKIN Grade "A" Fancy Quality	No. 2½ can	22c
PORK & BEANS Ann Page	17-oz. glass	16c
IONA PEAS Sweet and Tender . . . dozen 1.39	No. 2 Can	14c
A & P CORN Golden Whole or Cream Style . . . dozen 1.98	No. 2 Can	17c
CRANBERRY SAUCE Dromedary or Ocean Spray	16-oz.	25c
TOMATO JUICE Delicious Iona Brand . . . dozen 3.09	46-oz. Can	27c
FRUIT COCKTAIL A & P Brand, Fancy Grade "A"	No. 2½ Can	39c

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Thin Mints **65c** lb.

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FOR LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS

To simplify your last minute shopping problems we've compiled this list of worth-while gifts for members of your entire family. Consult this list when shopping these next few days . . . you'll find it will be of great benefit.

Gifts for Her...

Womens Printed and Plain Umbrellas	$5.95
Womens Cotton Print Pajamas	$2.44
Tea Rose and White Rayon Gift Slips	$3.49
Genuine Leather Handbags	$5.95
Womens Fabric Dress Gloves	$1.49
Gay Tyrolean Type Mittens	$1.00
Yardley Dusting Powder	$1.50
Reg. $3.00 Tradition Cologne	$1.50
Womens Printed Handkerchiefs	29c
Hand Painted Womens Slippers	$4.25
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Eversharp Retractable Pens	$25
Floral Gift Stationery	1.59
Girls Wool Snow Suits and Coats	20% off
Girls Chenille Robes	$4.59
Girls Quilted Housecoats	$4.98
Girls Cotton Blouses	$1.79
Girls Wool Plaid and Plain Skirts	$3.98

Gifts for Him...

Mens All Wool Topcoats	$27
Mens Yardley Toiletries	85c up
Mens Wool Slippers, zipper type	$3.50
Mens Adam Hats	$5 to $7.50
Mens Sanforized Dress Shirts	$3.98
Mens Wool and Rayon Mufflers	$1.98
Mens Fine Quality Ties	$1.50
Mens Leather Palm Dress Gloves	$2.98
Mens Fancy and White Kerchiefs	49c
Boys Dress Shirts	$1.69
Boys Part Wool Sweaters	$2.64
Boys Wool Plaid Jackets	$5.44
Boys All Wool Dress Suits	$13.95
Boys Fancy Striped Hose	49c

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Reg. $2.98 Embroidered Pillow Cases	$2.19
Fine Cannon Wash Cloths	25c
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81x99 Cannon Bed Sheets	$3.25
Reg. $12.95 Chenille Spreads	$10.99
Reg. 49c Fancy T owels	3 for $1.00
Libbey Hostess Glassware Sets	$3.00
Fine Quality 53-Pc. China Sets	$24.95
Reg. $49.50 Natural Cedar Chests	$39.95
Eureka Vacuum Cleaners	$64.55
Samson Bridge Tables	$3.95

Frostburg DEPARTMENT STORE

How To Clean Yule Stains From Linen

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

You will probably want to use your finest table linen for Christmas dinner, and if you have something precious in the way of a family heirloom that is irreplaceable, you will need to be particularly careful to avoid stains.

Place a large napkin under a child's plate and a dainty teacloth under the turkey platter to take care of grease splatters. Quick work after dinner in removing a blob of cranberry sauce or a wine stain will prevent permanent marring of your fine linen.

Here are some of the usual holiday stains and what can be done about them:

Candle wax: Scrape carefully with a blunt knife. Place a piece of white blotting paper or brown wrapping paper over the spots and press with a hot iron, removing the paper frequently. Remaining dye stains can be treated with a chlorine bleach, if the cloth is white.

Wine Stains: Sprinkle at once with salt. Pour boiling water through the stained portion and wash as usual.

Fruit and berry stains: Stretch cloth over a bowl. Pour boiling water over the spot; dry in the sun to bleach if possible. If the stain has "set" and the cloth is white cotton or linen, follow the boiling water with a chlorine bleach and rinse promptly and thoroughly. Using soap will set the stains so be careful to treat promptly and remove the stain before washing in the usual way.

Lipstick stains are usually easily removed by laundering. But the lipstick may be "indelible" in which case the stain should be rubbed with kerosene, washed in hot suds, and bleached with hydrogen peroxide. Or sponging lipstick stains with carbon tetrachloride can be successful.

Mustard stains should be rubbed lightly with thick soapsuds before the cloth is washed.

Try This Cake

Sweetpotato Cake

Ingredients: ½ cup fat; 1 cup sugar; 2 eggs; 1 cup cooked mashed sweetpotatoes; 2 cups all-purpose flour; ½ teaspoon salt; 2 teaspoons baking powder; ¼ teaspoon soda; ½ teaspoon each cinnamon and nutmeg; ¼ teaspoon cloves; ½ cup milk; ½ cup chopped nuts. To make: Cream fat. Add sugar gradually and cream well. Add eggs, beating well after each. Add sweetpotatoes. Mix well. Sift together rest of dry ingredients; add alternately with milk to the creamed mixture, beginning and ending with the dry ingredients. Add nuts. Mix. Bake in a greased 9 by 9 by 2 inch loaf pan in a moderate oven (350 degreesF.) 45 to 50 minutes. Caramel icing makes a good topping for this cake.

A tiny amount of pigment in a hen's feed can result in eggs with red or green yolks.

Bottle Tree Is Used As Jail In Australia

PERTH, Australia, (AP)—One of the world's oddest jails is a bottle tree (Adansonia Gregorii) which is used as a lockup at Hillgrove, a few miles from Wyndham in Western Australia. The 35 ft. high tree is about 50 ft. around the trunk and a hole has been cut, just big enough for a man to climb into the hollow center. There's plenty of air from a natural ventilator at the top. Most prisoners spend only one night there—the trooper stops at Hillgrove on his way to Wyndham.

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Chocolate Pudding
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PERFUMES

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Mais Oui	$2.00, $3.75, $6.75
Skylark	$1.50, $3.75
April Showers	$1.10 & $3.50
Yardley Bond Street	$4.50
Old Spice	$2.50 & $4.00
Evening in Paris	$2.25 & $5.50
Violet Sec	$1.00
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Gemey Toilet Water	$1.75
Mais Oui Toilet Water	$1.50
Courage Cologne	$2.50
Skylark Cologne	$1.25
Yardley Toilet Water	$1.50
Violet Sec Toilet Water	$1.00
Frolic Cologne	$1.00
Rosemary Cologne	$1.25
Mountain Heather Cologne	$1.00
Three Flower Toilet Water	$1.00
Yanky Clover Toilet Water	$1.00
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$3.25 Containing a refillable bowl filled with shaving soap, Talcum, tint and Shaving Lotion, as refreshing as an ocean breeze.

SUPER-SPECIAL!
10-PIECE GLASBAKE GIFT SETS FOR BAKING AND SERVING
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Set Contains
1—1½ Quart CASSEROLE & PIE COVERS
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6—4-Ounce CUSTARD CUPS
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1—8-Ounce MEASURING CUP
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New "Clog-Pruf" Style
Boxed for Christmas giving, a new Gem Razor complete with blades in handy blade case. $1.19

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Choice of .....
Raleigh, Lucky Strike, Dunhill Major, Chesterfield, Old Gold, Camels, Kool, Fleetwood, Herbert Tareytown, Domnio, Chelsea, Philip Morris, Mapleton, Spud, Patima, Stratford, Regent, Piedmont, Sheffield, Pall Mall.
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5c Tax

2 for 15c FACTORY SMOKERS
Count, Earl or Blunt
CIGARS
5 for 35c
Box of 100 $3.25

Pipe Racks
with METAL
Humidors
$4.98

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PRINCE ALBERT Pound Size	89c	UNION LEADER 14-Ounce Size	78c
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Suttons	50c
Mountain Heather	$1.00
Skylark	$1.00
Friendships Garden	$1.00
Three Flowers	$1.25
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Mais Oui	$1.00
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Yanky Clover Toiletry Set
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Yardley Shave Lotion	$1.00
Seaforth Shave Lotion	$1.00
Houbigant Shave Bowl	$1.10

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75c	Baume Ben-Gay, 1¼-ounce tube	59c
30c	Hill's Cold Tablets, box of 20	24c
65c	Pinex, (concentrated) 2½ ounces	54c
50c	Wampoles Creo-Terpin, 3 ounces	48c
30c	Vicks Va-tro-nol Nose Drops, small	24c
25c	Mistol Nose Drops, ¼-ounce	23c
60c	Pertussin, for coughs, 4-ounces	51c
$1.20	Father John's Medicine, large	89c
40c	Musterole, mild for children	33c
35c	Groves Cold Tablets, box of 20	27c

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Get Rem and Get Relief! For minor throat and chest distress caused by colds.
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For Only 15c

English
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PLANTERS
UNBLANCHED
SPANISH SALTED
PEANUTS
Deliciously fresh . . . and they remain that way, for they're packed in vacuum containers. Nourishing, delicious. A Christmas treat.
8-Ounce Vacuum Tin 15c

Farmers Oppose Proposal To Tax Co-ops' Earnings

Maryland Farm Bureau Leaders Discuss Legislative Program

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19 (AP)—Strong opposition to a proposal to tax the earnings of co-operatives and equally strenuous backing for establishment of a new wholesale market in Baltimore will be the main features of the Maryland farmers' legislative program, at the next General Assembly, it was disclosed today.

C. E. Wise, Jr., secretary of the Farm Bureau, outlined these two principal planks of the legislative program at a conference of state leaders planning the annual state convention in Baltimore January 7-10.

"We will concentrate on defeating the proposal to tax earnings of Maryland co-operatives and to have the Legislature approve creation of a corporation with authority to establish and operate a new farmers' market in Baltimore," Wise said.

Council Approved Tax

The Legislative Council has approved the tax on co-operatives which was urged by the National Tax Equality Association. Wise estimated there were more than 30 co-operatives, doing an annual business of between $20,000,000 and $30,000,000, which would be affected by the tax on earnings.

The Farm Bureau secretary contended a tax on co-operative earnings would be tantamount to a double tax. He said earnings, or patronage refunds, distributed by the co-operative already are subject to income taxes on the individual.

"The co-operative serves merely as a purchasing agent for the farmer," Wise declared in arguing for continuation of the tax exemption on earnings. He pointed out the co-operatives pay all other forms of taxation, such as real estate.

Four-Day Convention

The four-day program outlined by President Howard S. Leaverton, Chestertown, will open with a meeting of woolpool, poultry and Farm Bureau officials to draft resolutions for action at a General Assembly. The second day will be devoted to separate meetings of eight agricultural groups, the Poultry Council, 4-H Senior State Council, tobacco growers, vegetable growers, crop improvement, livestock association, nurserymen, and the Maryland Associated Women.

Farm Bureau Day will be observed on January 9 when a guest speaker will be heard in the afternoon and a banquet held at night. The final day will consist of a business meeting and election of officers.

The over-all Army malaria rate during World War II was 19 per thousand per year. Among overseas troops, the rate was 49 per thousand per year.

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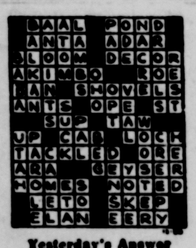
ACROSS

1. Mineral spring
4. Animal's foot
7. Part of the face
8. Native of Arabia
10. Grasping member
11. Den
12. Melody
13. Girdled
15. Unit of work
16. River (Swiss)
17. Girl's nickname
18. To discuss again
20. Lean-to
22. Chest
23. Garden tool
24. Mutilate
26. Preacher's desk
29. Farm animal
30. Sack
31. Constellation
32. Firearm
35. Mix
36. Variety of quartz
37. Girl's name
38. Female horse
39. Apiece
40. Seed vessel
41. Epoch

DOWN

1. Seaport, NE China
2. Sound of a bullet
3. Particle of addition
4. More wan
5. Salt inland sea (W. Asia)
6. To serve
7. A task
9. A curved mark over a vowel
12. Varying weight (Ind.)
13. Exclamation of disgust
14. Performed
16. Question
19. Fortify
20. Coin (Peru)
21. Flower
23. Squeeze
24. Loose, tangled mass
25. Self-evident truth
26. Chum
27. People of Ireland
28. Black, viscous substance
30. Crated
33. Break suddenly
34. A novice
35. Fly aloft
37. Sheltered side



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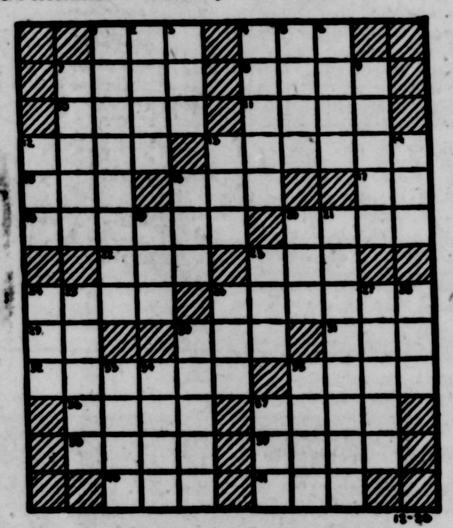

(CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

'ACGH G ATPWN HGPI ATW SGHA OPKI CEDI AE XTDPHA—RDECKPKJ.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: AND THEY WILL BEST SUCCEED, WHO BEST CAN PAY—CHURCHILL.

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New "Errorless" Typewriter Prints One Line At A Time

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—An "errorless" typewriter with a standard keyboard which prints an entire line simultaneously, rather than letter-by-letter, as in the conventional typewriter, has been developed by the Associated Development and Research Corporation, N. Y., Robert S. Wallach, president, announced today.

He said the machine, which is officially known as "the visible line" typewriter is electrically driven but it does not type directly on the paper.

"Instead," he said, "it sets up a line which is visible just above the keyboard before printing. If an error occurs, the operator merely has to press a button which returns the carriage to the proper position and eliminates the mistyped character, which is then retyped and the line printed. The operator then can set up the next line while the previous one is printing."

An animal nursery is being opened in the Melbourne Zoo to teach children to care for animals.

Truck Backs Into Garage Window

Clarence D. Armstrong, Elkins, W. Va., was fined $5 yesterday in police court after being convicted of driving in the wrong direction on Mechanic street, a one-way thoroughfare, and a companion, Louis Joseph, also Elkins, was fined $3 for being drunk.

Police said the two men were riding in a truck which backed into and broke a plate glass window in the display room of the Thompson Buick Garage, 429-31 North Mechanic street.

Miles G. Thompson, owner of the garage, appeared in court and inquired as to who would pay for the window. Joseph, who owned the car that Armstrong was driving, said he had insurance that would cover the damage. The arrests were made by Roy VanFleet of the Clay Detective agency.

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New Drug Blocks Nerves, Treats Many Diseases

CLEVELAND, Dec. 19. (AP)—A new medical discovery, a drug that temporarily blocks off certain main human nerves and relieves pain and more serious troubles, was reported to the American College of Surgeons today by eight University of Michigan physicians.

The drug is tetra ethyl ammonium. It has been known for years but never used on humans until about a year ago when the Michigan group took it up. The doctors are Kenneth N. Campbell, Robert L. Berry, Martin R. Sutler, Richard H. Lyons, Gordon K. Moe, Jack Lapides, Reed M. Nesbit and William L. Valk.

This drug does, temporarily, the same thing as the surgeon's knife when used to cut the sympathetic, or automatic nervous system, in the operation known as paravertebral block.

That operation is used to reduce high blood pressure. The ammonium drops high pressure to almost normal in a few minutes, but is no use for that purpose because the drop is temporary.

But it does other things like increasing the flow of blood in legs and arms. In seven minutes it has increased such blood flow by two thousand per cent.

This made the drug immediately useful for many diseases that interfere with the blood flow in extremities.

To the surprise of the Michigan physicians, when the ammonium was given for temporary pain relief, the pain was gone for long periods after the drug was stopped. They said no one was cured but that some had relief for six months.

The ammonium has to be given sparingly because it has too much slowdown effect on some internal organs.

Eva Braun Films Shown To Newsmen

FRANKFURT, Germany, Dec. 19 — (AP) — Golden-haired Eva Braun flaunted her shapely, scantily-clad body and flirted with other men in front of Adolf Hitler before their eleventh-hour marriage, newly-captured Nazi color films disclosed today.

Her poses and preening and the nude daylight bathing of her sister, recorded on three of the 31 reels of movie film dug from a secret hiding place by United States Army agents, were shown at a special "matinee" for news correspondents today after Gen. Joseph T. McNarney viewed them yesterday.

United States officers who found the film months ago in the Bavarian mountains said they cast new and important light on the personalities of the fuehrer and his sweetheart.

The 10½-hour collection of pictures made by Hitler's personal photographer, Heinrich Hoffman and his aides, gave intimate details of gay wartime parties at Berchtesgaden and of Hitler's solitary walks.

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Thousands Of Yule Cards Mailed From Bethlehem

BETHLEHEM, Md., Dec. 19 (AP)—This little town, crossroads for 25 houses, gets Christmas greetings from every state in the union—for remailing with the local postmark.

The new postmistress this year, appropriately is named Mrs. Mary Carroll.

She works overtime with a special Christmas Day cachet to stamp the thousands of cards that are sorted for remailing at a charge of 10 cents each, proceeds to buy eye glasses for needy children in the area.

Townsfolk say Bethlehem got its name 150 years ago from Maryland's famous Methodist circuit rider, Bishop Francis Asbury, who probably passed through the village at Christmas time. Residents put a large fixed star at the crossroads and set up an adoration scene for the season's festivities.

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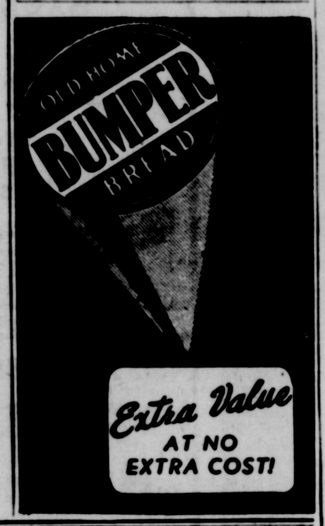

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Driver Of Truck Is Held In Jail After Accident

State's Attorney Says Winebrenner Admits "Drinking 13 Beers"

One man is being held in Allegany County Jail, and a second remains in a critical condition in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, as the result of a truck wreck early yesterday morning on Route 36, 300 feet from Melody Manor, near Mt. Savage.

The injured man was identified as Joseph Leo Bridges, 19, Mt. Savage, who hospital attaches said is suffering from a possible fractured skull and remains in a semi conscious condition. X-rays will be made today they added.

State's Attorney Morgan C. Harris, said George Elwood Winebrenner, 20, also Mt. Savage, who he identified as the driver of the car, admitted "drinking 13 bottles of beer," before the accident. He is being held in the county jail pending the outcome of Bridges' injuries.

Winebrenner told Harris that he did not know how fast he was going at the time of the accident, but said he lost control of the car and it made a "U" turn on the road and turned over. Both men, and a third passenger, William E. Jenkins, 16, Mt. Savage, were thrown from the truck, the State's Attorney said.

The driver, admitted that his steering and brakes were in good condition at the time of the accident, but Harris quoted him as saying he didn't remember what caused him to loose control of the truck.

The stretch of road was described as a straight-away, by the State's Attorney, who added that there were no other cars on the road at the time of the accident.

The truck belonged to Louis Bridges, father of the injured boy, Harris said, and according to Winebrenner, there had been some talk of trading the truck for a car which Winebrenner owns. The deal apparently wasn't consumated, Harris said.

Jenkins and Winebrenner were treated in a Mt. Savage physician's office for minor injuries. Trooper William McElfish who investigated the accident, said Winebrenner is being held on three motor vehicle charges including operating a vehicle without a license and reckless driving.

Student Flyer

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plexiglass front of the cockpit, and crawled clear of the wreckage.

Jewell said some people from a house across the road ran to help him. He declared he was badly scared when he was caught on the electrified fence and that the shock seemed to freeze him to the fence.

Jewell described the electric shock as painful but not serious, and explained he was worried because he once had an attack of rheumatic fever which might have damaged his heart.

Says Motor Stalled

Jewell said he left the port about 1:15 p. m. and proceeded east at Sideling hill. He believed he was cruising at about 1,110 feet at Sideling hill when his motor stalled. He put the plane in a dive and succeeded in getting the motor started again. But a little later, it conked out a second time.

When the motor failed the second time, Jewell said he had been losing altitude and was then only about 50 or 100 feet from the groundn. He realized he would have to land, and headed for the field where the crash occurred. Jewell realized, he said, he did not have sufficient altitude to clear the wires when he saw them, but pulled the nose of the plane up. That stalled the motor completely and the left wing of the plane came into contact with the electric wires.

Plane Badly Damaged

A thin slice in the forward part of the wing shows where the wire burned through the metal for a depth of about 18 inches.

The propellor is broken on both blades and the undercarriage of the ship is folded backward. The left wing is also twisted backward toward the tail.

When the plane hit the wire, the wire snapped and curled and flashed about the ground setting fire to brush and nearby woods. The fire was brought under control in a few minutes by residents of the area, but those who saw the wreck, including the pilot, are still wondering why the plane did not burst into flames. It was not damaged by fire.

Jewell and Flook both said the ship had plenty of gas when it left the field and neither knew what caused the motor to cut out. They ventured the opinion there might have been carburator trouble, although Jewell said he had the heater on and Flook said it was working properly.

Jewell is unemployed. He was discharged from the Navy September 1, after a year of service. He trained at Bainbridge and Great Lakes Training Station. He began his flight training here October 1 and had completed about 20 hours flight time.

Flook said last night Jewell is a good student and apparently did everything he had been instructed to do. He picked a good field for his crash landing and could have come in all right if he had seen the electric wires in time to avoid them. The field was large enough to accomodate a Piper Cub and was planted in winter wheat, providing a firm base for landing or take-off.

This was the first accident among the half-hundred GI student trainees at the local airport.

Airport officials said the wrecked plane will be brought to the airport today by truck and it will be inspected in an effort to ascertain what caused the motor to stall.

Drivers Are Charged After Road Crash

Charges of reckless driving were placed against two motorists after a truck-car collision on Route 220 in front of the Bowling Green grocery store yesterday morning.

State Trooper W. O. McElfish said the automobile operated by John Leo Rephann, Route 5, headed toward Cresaptown, crashed against the side of the C. D. Kenny Company truck driven by Hoy B. England, 879 Patterson avenue, at 9 a. m. He added that the latter vehicle had pulled away from the store and war crossing the highway when the crash occurred. No one was injured.

Deaths

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HOCKMAN RITES

Funeral services for Webster M. Hockman, 52, 114 South Smallwood street, who died Monday in Allegany Hospital, were conducted yesterday morning in St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Rev. Charles W. Bogan, assistant pastor of the church, was the celebrant of the requiem mass and interment was in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Hubert Gillard, James Mulligan, R. C. Koelker, Frank C. McKnight, Roy Frantz and W. J. Walsh.

ELIAS GATEHOUSE RITES

Funeral services for Elias Gatehouse, 75, retired machinist who died suddenly Tuesday at his home, 501 Maryland avenue, were conducted yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Hafer Funeral Home by Rev. Edwin W. Saylor, pastor of First Baptist Church.

Interment was in Allegany Cemetery, Frostburg. Pallbearers were Clifford Boling, Stephen M. Goggin, Ernest McCullough, Daniel L. Sherk, Glenmore Rice and Jesse H. Judy.

PHILIP FETZER RITES

Funeral services for Philip A. Fetzer, 74, 406 Washington street, who died Monday in Memorial Hospital, were conducted yesterday at 10:30 a. m. in the George Funeral Home. Dr. Walter Marion Michael, pastor of Centre Street Methodist Church, officiated and interment was in Olivet Cemetery, Moorefield, W. Va., yesterday afternoon.

MRS. LOGSDON RITES

HYNDMAN, Pa., Dec. 19—Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Jane Logsdon, 77, widow of Benjamin Logsdon, who died Wednesday night at her home, Route 1, Hyndman, will be conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. at the home by Rev. Fred Crowe and Rev. Mr. Gifford. Interment will be in Porter Cemetery, near Ellerslie.

Schmidt Baking Co.

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Mechanic street, and the first floor is currently occupied by the Cross Beauty Shop.

Miles previously applied for a permit to use premises at 16 Decatur street for the same purpose. The application was refused because the site is in a residential district. Miles appealed to the Zoning Appeals Board but later withdrew his appeal.

Education Survey To Be Discussed Here January 10

A representative of the committee on education of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States will come to Cumberland January 10 to outline the program on education sponsored by the national group and to discuss the results of a nationwide survey completed early this year on education, according to Harold W. Smith, secretary of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce.

Arrangements for the meeting are being made by the local Chamber's committee on education, headed by Adolph Blunk. The committee, members of the board of directors, the county commissioners and representatives of the Board of Education are expected to attend.

The place of the meeting and the name of the representative of the national organization who will come here will be announced later.

Smith said that the program on education is designed to develop interest in any needed improvements in the high system, and to point out to businessmen the advantages of improvements in the educational system.

The nationwide survey showed that where education is on a high level, living standards are also high and business conditions are improved, he explained.

The board of directors, at their monthly meeting last night in the Chamber of Commerce office, approved a recommendation by the legislative committee endorsing the Sherbow Commission report, which provides for redistribution of state revenue with a greater share going to cities and counties than now provided by state law.

The committee recommended that the report be considered in its entirety by the new legislature and that no action be taken on any part of the report at the special legislative meeting to be held December 27 in Annapolis. George L. Buchanan heads the committee.

Pedestrian Is Hurt

A pedestrian who identified himself as C. Realbeague, 31, Laing avenue, was treated in Allegany Hospital early Wednesday night for slight abrasions of the back suffered, he reported, when he was struck by a taxicab on Centre street. Police reported yesterday morning they had no report of the accident.

Importance Of

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better performance than the type it now has".

Home Rule Explained

Dr. Ray, who is making a survey of the local government and expects to make his recommendations soon, went on to say:

"In many states there is a system of home rule for city governments. Under the home rule arrangement, the city drafts its own charter and submits it to a vote of the citizens. As the system works out now in Maryland and in most other states which do not have home rule, the question of new charters and charter amendments is at the discretion of the local delegation in the legislature. The legislature as a whole defers to the desires of the local delegation affected. Thus the delegation from Allegany county actually writes the changes in the basic law for this city. This does not intend to imply that these men are not capable or that they do not act in good faith. It rather means that the people of the city have very little directly to say on the provisions of their basic laws.

"Municipal home rule is of two kinds: statutory and constitutional. Statutory home rule is set up by a regular act of the legislature. Such, for example, would give the city of Cumberland the right to draft its own charter. The objection to statutory home rule is the fact that the legislature can at any time later simply enact a new charter or charter amendments without honoring its previous permission for home rule.

"Constitutional home rule is embodied in an amendment to the State constitution. It usually provides that all cities above a certain size—5,000 or 10,000—may follow a set procedure to get new charter members for themselves. In the constitution then is placed the right of municipal home rule; and the legislature cannot ignore it.

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Medical Care Cost $4,436.17 Here In Two Months

Dr. Franklin Reports On Expenditures At Board Meeting

Total expenditures in the county's medical care program during October and November amounted to $4,436.17, Dr. Joseph P. Franklin, chairman, reported at a meeting of the county medical care board Wednesday night in his office.

The October total, amounting to $2,099.85, was $236.47 less than the November expenditure of $2,336.32.

In October, 36 doctors submitted 288 bills totaling $1,244.65; five dentists submitted eight bills totaling $222; and 12 druggists submitted 886 bills totaling $633.20.

Last month, 37 doctors sent in 282 bills amounting to $1,760.50; seven dentists submitted nine bills totaling $247; and seven druggists submitted 371 bills totaling $328.82.

Dr. Franklin distributed copies of a report of the statewide medical care program as of October, prepared by the Bureau of Medical Services of the State Department of Health.

Allegany county led the 23 counties in the state, with 286 indigent patients receiving medical services during the month, out of a statewide total of 2,268 persons. Washington county was second with 278 patients, and Garrett county was third with 176 patients.

Although Allegany led the other counties in medical calls during the month, reporting 591, the county's percentage of home day visits, 16.6, was the second smallest reported, with Garrett county's percentage of 11.4 in home visits the smallest. The highest was in Carroll county, with 55.5 per cent of home day visits in 200 calls.

Office visits amounted to 65 per cent of the total of 591 medical calls in Allegany county, with the same percentage reported for Washington county's 531 calls and 86.5 per cent in office visits, the highest of the 23 counties, reported for Garrett county's 394 medical calls.

No medically indigent cases were handled in Allegany and Garrett counties in October, although Dr. Franklin said that a few such cases were handled in Allegany county last month.

The term "indigent" applies to patients receiving public assistance, while "medically indigent" refers to patients not receiving public assistance but unable to pay for needed medical care.

Odd Fellows To Give Christmas Party

Chosen Friends Lodge No. 34 and Chapel Hill Lodge No. 53, IOOF, will give their annual Christmas party tonight for children of Odd Fellows and their friends. The party will be held at 8 o'clock immediately after the regular meeting of Chosen Friends Lodge, which will begin earlier than usual at 7 p. m.

Raymond Drake, chairman of the committee which has arranged the program, said the program will include a dance routine and playlet by pupils of the Mary Kathryn Steckman Dance Studio, group singing, motion pictures by Robert Davis, and a Christmas treat distributed to the children by Santa Claus.

Following the party for the children the regular monthly meeting of the Allegany-Mineral Past Grands Association will be held. Dancing and entertainment will be featured with refreshments being served by members of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1.

Many Workers Get Permanent SS Insurance

Before January 1, 1947, more than four million workers in the United States will have completed the ten years of service in jobs covered by the Social Security Act, necessary to attain permanent insurance status under Old-Age and Survivor's Insurance provisions.

William W. Wood, Jr., manager of the Cumberland office of the Social Security Administration, today called attention to the fact that any wage earner who works in 40 calendar quarters, in each of which he has been paid wages of at least $50—attains thereby, permanent insurance rights under the Act.

Figures released by the Social Security Administration show that in the whole country there are some four million men and 800,000 women who will have gained permanent insurance status in 1946 through the completion of ten years (40 quarters) of work in commerce or industry. The year 1946 was the first year in which it was possible for them to attain fully insured status — permanently — under the Act, since the old-age and survivor's insurance completes its tenth year of operation December 31.

In addition to the 4,800,000 workers mentioned above, two other groups will have permanent insurance right by the end of this year. There are around 1,800,000 persons who will reach age 65 within the next ten years, and who will have permanent insurance rights by virtue of having served in covered employment at least half the number of calendar quarters between January 1, 1937 and the time they reach age 65.

The safest person in the United States is a little girl between 5 and 14 years old who lives in Rhode Island, according to National Safety Council statistics.

Selection Of Koon's Successor Studied

Stating that several persons are under consideration, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday he is experiencing difficulty in suggesting a successor to the late Dr. Thomas W. Koon as a member of the Municipal Planning and Zoning Commission. Dr. Koon served as chairman.

Under the ordinance passed June 1, 1943, the mayor appoints members of the commission subject to the approval of the Mayor and Council.

The death of Dr. Koon, 11-time mayor of Cumberland, leaves Harold W. Smith, commission secretary, as the only member of the original group.

Besides Dr. Koon and Smith the first members were Fred T. Small, William H. Groves and Thomas F. Conlon. The latter served as a commission member in his capacity as mayor. Before the group organized Royal Stone replaced Small. Stone left Cumberland and resigned and was replaced by Clarence H. Griggs. Benjamin W. O'Rourke succeeded Groves who also left the city, and Mayor Post replaced former Mayor Conlon.

Dr. Koon was named to the commission for a two-year term and was reappointed for five years in 1945. His successor will serve until June 1951, filling out the unexpired term. Groves was named for three years and last June, O'Rourke was reappointed for the full five years, thus his term will expire in 1951. Griggs' term expires in June 1947, and Smith's term runs until 1948. The latter was named to the full five years at the start.

Dr. Koon's successor must be a professional man under the terms of the ordinance. Smith represents business, Griggs industry, and O'Rourke is the labor spokesman.

The Sproul Observatory at Swarthmore College has the third largest telescope on the Eastern coast.

In most parts of the United States the evaporation rate is fastest during the spring and summer months.

Retirement Plan Voted By American Stores

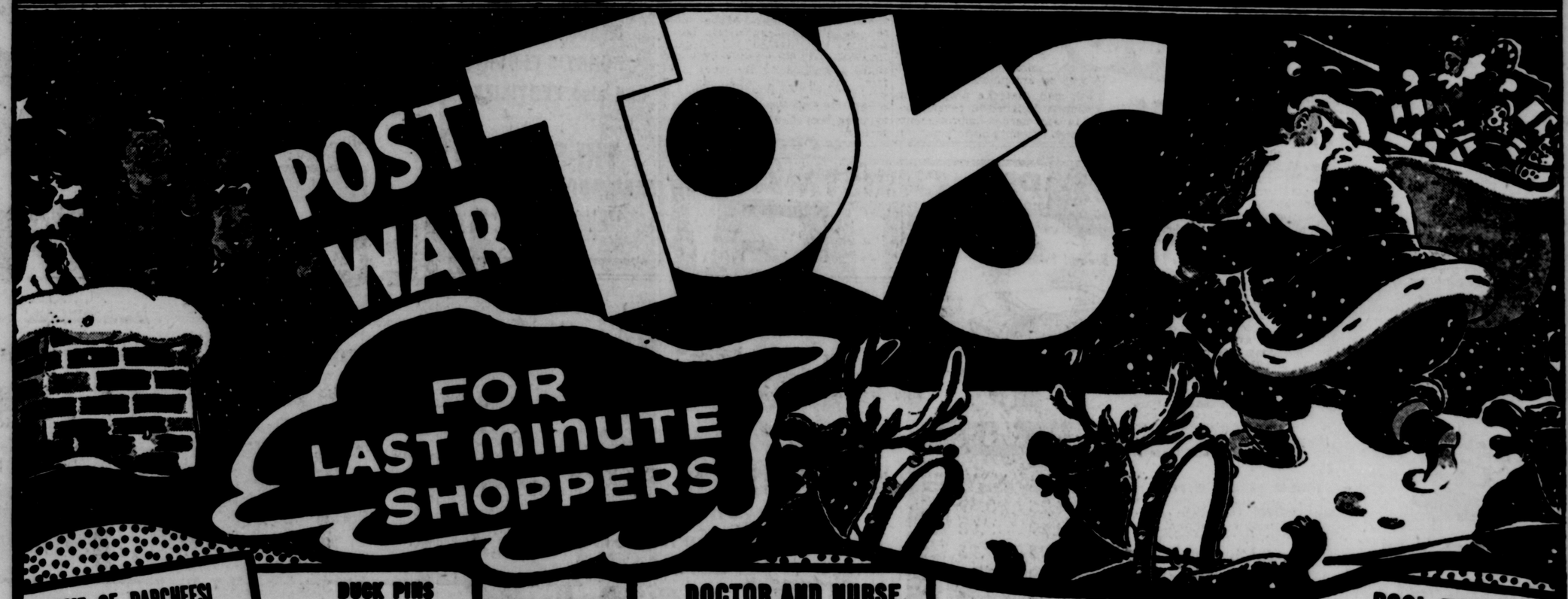
An employes retirement plan was overwhelmingly approved at a stockholders meeting of the American Stores Corporation earlier this week. The principal purpose of the plan is to provide income benefits after retirement for employes of the American Stores Company, Acme Super Markets and other subsidiary concerns.

Normal retirement age would be between 65 and 70, with retirement at an earlier age possible with company approval. The stockholders also agreed to distribute $150,000 in Christmas bonuses.

JOE THE MOTORISTS FRIEND HAS PLENTY OF

POST WAR TOYS

FOR LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS



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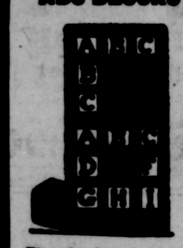
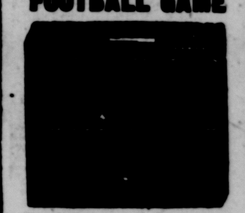


Fine hardwood educational blocks. They're priced at only ..... 98c up

DOCTOR AND NURSE OUTFITS

Just what the youngsters like. Sets are most complete with the tools and uniforms of the profession. Here's your chance to have a Doctor or Nurse in your own family. $1.29

ELECTRIC FOOTBALL GAME



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Set consists of 2 good paddles, net and frame structure for setting it up on your dining table and ball. Thousands of play hours at small cost. $1.29

POOL TABLES

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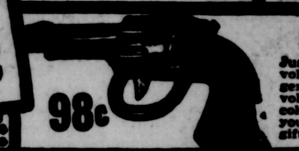
One of the old favorites. We have them in sizes for all age children. Sets are complete with balls, cues and table.

RING TOSS

A very clever game that can be played indoors or outdoors. Improves coordination and furnishes a lot of fun for all of the family 98c up



Six Shooter

Just like a large revolver with action trigger and cylinder that revolves. Rich contrasting coloring. Do you have a young cowboy on your gift list? 98c

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One of the very newest 1946 toys . . . actually flies in a 12-foot circle. Takes off from airport, climbs, zooms, circles and returns to field. "Pilot" at control stick has complete command. Includes flight manual, round the World contest flight map.

MICROSCOPE SET $5.95

Complete with powerful microscope, slides, needles for bisecting and all that is needed for intensive study and research . . . for both boys and girls.

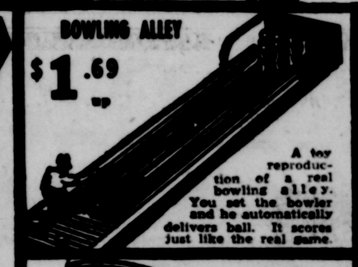
PAINT SETS

We have them in wide assortments from those used by the very young to the fine qualities that would be appreciated by the advanced young artist. 49c up

Big Shot (Pin Ball Game) $2.59

Made from wood and metal. Sturdy board with ingenious mechanism. Fun for folks of all ages. Any number can play. Marbles are used as balls and scoring is very fascinating.

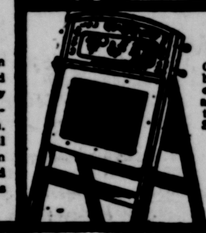
BOWLING ALLEY $1.69 up



A toy reproduction of a real bowling alley. You set the bowler and he automatically delivers ball. It scores just like the real game.

TWIN DART GAME 98c

Really a two-for-one offer in play value. Two boards upon which you may play many games. For boys or girls as well as adults.



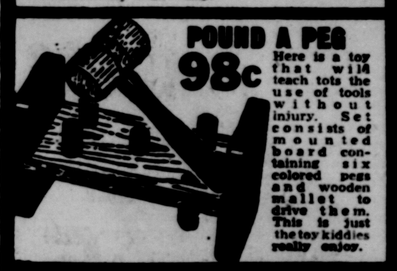
EASEL Blackboard

Consists of blackboard mounted on easel, crayon and all that is necessary to start drawing. Suggested drawings and designs are on movable roller at top. $1.98 up

All Aluminum TELESCOPE

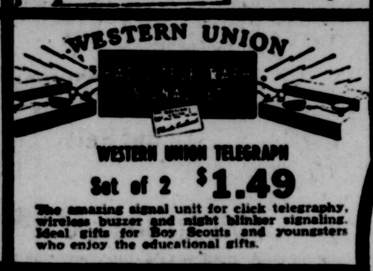
$1.49

With extra wide field of vision . . . waterproof, dustproof, rustproof. Six power lens. Ideal for the Boy Scout or the boy or girl who likes hiking and the outdoors.



POUND A PEG 98c

Here is a toy that will teach tots the use of tools without injury. Set consists of mounted board containing six colored pegs and wooden mallet to drive them. This is just the toy kiddies really enjoy.



WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH Set of 2 $1.49

The amazing signal unit for click telegraphy, wireless buzzer and night blinker signaling. Ideal gifts for Boy Scouts and youngsters who enjoy the educational gifts.

Rock-a-Swing

Metal chair suspended from metal frame on strong chains. Base has rubber feet so that it may be used in the nursery, the home or on the porch or lawn in summer. Cannot slip or mar floors. $5.98

PLASTIC TELEPHONE, 98c

Rich assorted colors in plastic. When dialed it makes realistic natural sound. Just what any youngster would want for play . . . especially on their desk.

Great Assortment of PLAY TEA SETS 98c Up

From service for several to service for 6. Nicely made and decorated in brilliant colors. Most young girls like to play 'hostess' to their friends and to serve tea and lunches just like their mothers.

WORK BENCH With Tools $14.95

Here's what you get: Heavily constructed work bench 32½ x 18⅝ x 30". Claw Hammer, Wood Handled Chisel, 7" Plane, 6" Pliers, Pine wood-handled fine steel Saw, 8x10" Blue Steel Square, 6 ft. white rule, 10 sheets asst. Sandpaper, Mending glue for China, Rubber, Plastics, etc., Box of assorted size Nails, wrought Steel Scriber, 6" and 4" Screw Drivers, Sharpening Stone.

Child's Upholstered Chairs

Both rocker and regular styles. Well upholstered. May be had in simulated leather or rich Chintz. Comfortable and extremely beautiful. $8.98 up

Sunny Suzy GLASS BAKING SET

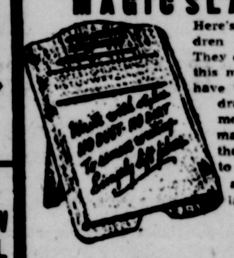
Four custard cups, 2 casseroles and one cover of Fire King Oven Glass. Just like mother's and can be placed in oven to prepare actual food. Here is something to delight the young cook. 98c

SHO FLY

One of the old favorites returned to Joe's large toy stocks. Strongly made and beautifully finished. One of our most popular gift toys. $3.98

Youngsters always like to help shovel snow. With this toy they can do so without over-exerting themselves. Shovel is of metal with hardwood handle and cross-grip at top. Kids really like 'em. 79c TOY SNOW SHOVEL

MAGIC SLATE



Here's a toy children really like. They can write upon this magic slate and have their words or drawings removed as if by magic . . . then the slate is ready to use all over again. It will last indefinitely. 98c

COWBOY OUTFIT

A complete cowboy outfit that really looks wild and wooly . . . just the kind young boys like. Complete with sombrero, revolver, holster, rope, neckerchief, shirt and chaps. $5.49

Huge Assortments of NEW DOLLS

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Yogi Fanatic Burns Feet Off

BRISBANE (AP)—Claiming he had heard the voice of a Yogi commanding him to stand in a fire, Douglas Frederick Birch, 30, obeyed, and as a result has had both feet amputated.

Birch told police he was a student of Indian Yogi. He said he stood in the fire several minutes, then felt the heat, and stepped out with his feet "cooked." He crawled a quarter of a mile to a main road where a passerby called an ambulance.

Indicating he was over his Yogi obsession, Birch told a friend "I can now see for the first time how silly it was."

Indonesia In Market For American Resin

BATAVIA (AP)—Settlement of the prolonged Indonesian revolution is expected to result in large increases in resin imports from the United States.

Before the war, the Netherlands East Indies purchased 10,000 tons of resin annually in America. This year imports were only 650 tons because of unsettled internal conditions.

Resin is an indispensable raw material in the manufacture of batik, the Indonesians' favorite textile.

Chickens lay about 20 percent more eggs during their first year of production than during their second year.

Fire Rushes To The Firemen

MT. CARMEL, Ill. (AP)—A fire flared in the rear seat of Joe Cunningham's automobile and he promptly drove to the fire station. Firemen puzzled by what to insert in a form calling for the number of miles of each "run" solved the oddity by jotting down "0."

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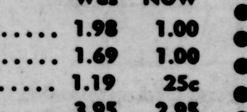

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Sunbeam Shave Master
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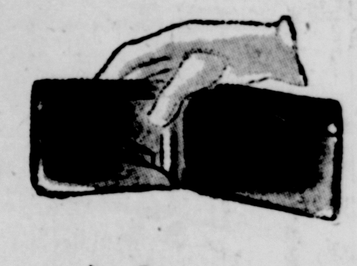
Parker "51" and Eversharp Sets



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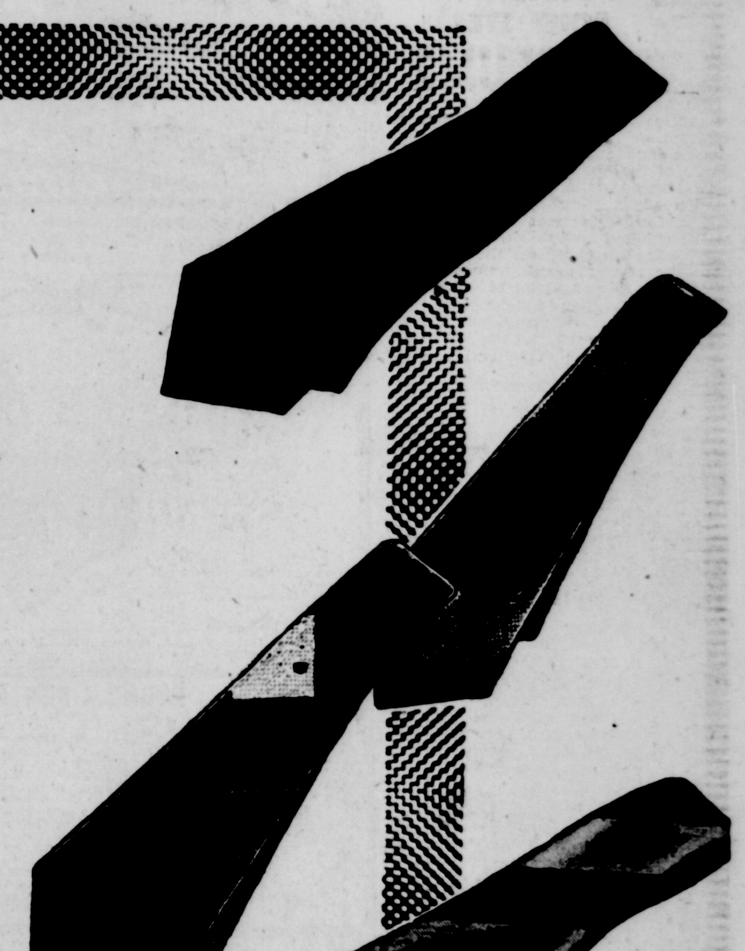

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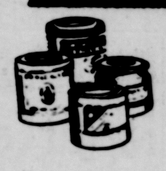

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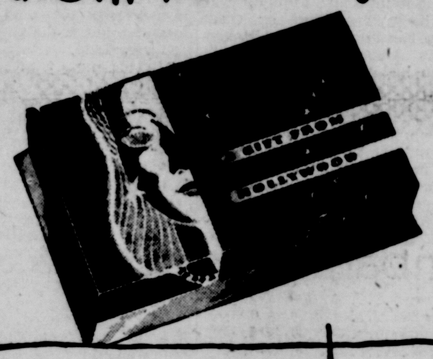

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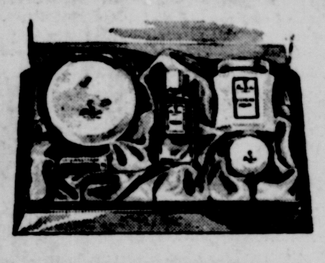

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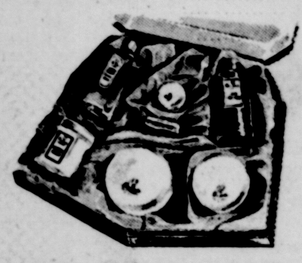

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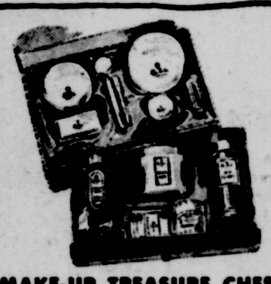

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Virginia Quint To Play Fort Hill Tonight

Allegany Meets Somerset Cagers In Pennsylvania

Piedmont Host To Bruce; Beall, Davis, Bedford Play Home Games

Fort Hill High School's Sentinels will play hosts to Washington and Lee High School, of Arlington, Va., tonight on the Fort Hill court at 8 o'clock.

It will be the third start of the season for Coach Cavanaugh's outfit which dropped its opener away from home to Piedmont, 34-30, in an overtime stanza, and launched its home floor campaign with a 53 to 27 triumph over the Davis High School Wildcats on Tuesday night.

A. H. S. Invades Somerset

While Fort Hill is testing the Virginians, who are coached by Pete Rockwell, one-time Romney High School cage mentor, Allegany High School's Campers will be playing a return tilt with the Somerset High School Eagles at Somerset, Pa.

Coach Walter Bowers' aggregation opened its season on Tuesday night with a 38 to 27 triumph over the Pennsylvanians, sewing up the game with a 22-point splurge in the final period.

"Huck" Miers' Piedmont High floormen will be shooting for their sixth straight triumph of the season tonight when they face Bruce High School, of Westernport, on the Piedmont High floor at 8 o'clock.

Johnny Paugh's Moorefield Yellow Jackets will invade Wardensville tonight to meet the home club in a Potomac Valley Conference game.

At Frostburg, Coach Eddie Finzel's Beall High Mountaineers will play hosts to Meyersdale (Pa.) High School, a team they defeated on December 12 by the score of 48-26 on the Pennsylvanians' floor.

Morgantown Plays Davis

University High School, of Morgantown, invades Davis, W. Va., tonight to match baskets with Bill Talbott's Davis High School Wildcats.

In another scholastic tilt listed for tonight, Bruce Fisher's Bedford High School Bisons will tangle with Claysburg High School in Bedford.

Fizer, Underwood Named Top Coaches

LOGAN, W. Va., Dec. 19 (AP)—A tie vote by members of the West Virginia Sports Writers Association gave the honor of the 1946 "outstanding coach of the year" today to Homer Fizer of University High (Morgantown) and Forest (Spike) Underwood of Huntington East High.

Association Secretary Charlie Hylton, announcing the last in a series of winners in the writers' annual poll, said Fizer and Underwood received an equal number of ballots.

Fizer's team posted an unbeaten record in eight games this season his first as head football coach. Underwood, also head football mentor for the first time, guided Huntington East to eight victories against a single loss.

Homer Fizer, formerly coach basketball and football at Keyser High School.

Wittenberg Is Victor

CHESTERTOWN, Md., Dec. 19 (AP)—Wittenberg College, paced by its starting center, Fellmeth, with 25 points defeated Washington College, 68-48, in a basketball tilt tonight.

The Ohio visitors paced the Washington cagers through a nip-and-tuck first frame and led by only four points at halftime, 29-25, but throughout the final half, Wittenberg hit the hoop from all angles.

Prexies Win 4th

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 19 (AP)—The Washington and Jefferson Presidents swept to their fourth straight basketball victory tonight, swamping the Bethany College Bisons 85-44 on the Washington High School court.

H. Knocke, prexy forward, with 18 points, and Forward Tom Osso with 16, lead the victors' scoring. The halftime score favored W and J, 44-25.

During World War II, U. S. farm production increased twice as much as during the years between the two World Wars.

BASKETBALL SCORES

INTERSTATE LEAGUE
Amvets 42, Fulton Myers Post 30
Cumberland Legion 35, K. of C. 32

SCHOLASTIC
Keyser 37, Fort Ashby 29
Piedmont 34, Barton 31

YMCA MEN'S LEAGUE
B. & O. Backshops 27, VFW 17
First Methodists 17, Wm. Paca Club 14

COLLEGIATE
Michigan 45, Stanford 37
Louisiana State 62, St. Francis (Brooklyn) 57
Washington-Lee 72, Camp Lee 31
Georgia Tech 55, Davidson 41
Wittenberg (Ohio) 68, Washington (Md.) 48
Johns Hopkins 67, Gallaudet 30
Pennsylvania 73, William and Mary 46
Northwestern 65, North Carolina 51
Glenville 49, Shepherd 47
Wash.-Jeff. 85, Bethany 44
Ft. Belvoir 51, Quantico Marines 46

Keyser Defeats Fort Ashby High By 37-29 Score

Cline, Blamer, See Score 30 Points In Initial PVC Contest

KEYSER, W. Va., Dec. 19—Keyser High School's floormen marked up their second victory of the season at the expense of Fort Ashby High School this afternoon on the local high school court. The score was 37 to 29.

It was the initial Potomac Valley Conference game for both schools.

Coach Fred Clark's first string team jumped away to a 10-4 lead at the quarter, retained its six-point edge at half time, 22-16, and increased its advantage to 30-17 when the third period ended.

Keyser was out front 35-21 in the last period when the first team left the court. In the closing minutes of play Fort Ashby outscored the locals 12 to 2 to finish only eight points back at the final whistle.

Donald "Cotty" Cline, Fred Blamer and Kenny See scored 30 points for Keyser. Shaffer was high man for Fort Ashby with nine points while Davis and Linn made six each.

Twenty personal fouls were called on Keyser and eight on the visitors. The losers hooped 13 of 25 free throws while Keyser converted 5 out of 10 charity tosses in addition to outscoring Fort Ashby 16 to 8 in field goals. Don Horner, Keyser guard, was ejected on personal fouls in the third period.

Keyser's next game is with the College-Alumni quint on December 27. Lineups:

KEYSER	G.	F.	Pts.
See, f	3	2-2	8
Blamer, f	5	0-2	10
Cline, c	6	0-2	12
Quinn, g	1	3-3	5
Horner, g	0	0-1	0
Fazenbaker	1	0-0	2
Totals	16	5-10	37

FORT ASHBY	G.	F.	Pts.
Franklin, f	1	3-6	5
Davis, f	2	2-3	6
Wetzel, c	0	2-2	2
Linn, g	3	0-6	6
Shaffer, g	2	5-6	9
Blauch	0	1-3	1
Totals	8	13-26	29

Non-scoring subs: Keyser—Lee, Wagoner, Emery, Dorsey, Nelson, Mullen, Tyler.

Points by periods:
KEYSER ..... 10 12 8 7—37
FT. ASHBY ..... 4 12 1 12—29
Referee—Charles Bolyard.

Moorefield Passers Trim Mathias, 57-33

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., Dec. 19—Moorefield High School opened its basketball season at Mathias Tuesday night with a 57-33 over the cagers of Mathias High School. The lineups:

MOOREFIELD	G.	F.	Pts.
Keller, f	4	1-1	9
W. Sherman, f	3	0-3	6
C. Hott, c	5	0-1	10
Kessel, g	2	0-1	4
Smith, g	6	0-0	12
Harman, sub	1	1-1	3
Welton, sub	5	1-3	11
Vance, sub	1	0-0	2
H. Ours, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	27	3-11	57

MATHIAS	G.	F.	Pts.
Seldon, f	1	1-3	7
Garrett, f	2	2-3	6
Miller, c	2	1-5	5
Hepner, g	0	0-0	0
Wilkins, g	7	1-3	15
Totals	14	5-14	33

Non-scoring subs: Moorefield—C. Ours, W. Hott, Riggleman, D. Sherman, L. Sherman, Evans. Mathias—Strawderman, Slater.

Points by periods:
MOOREFIELD ..... 13 15 18 11—57
MATHIAS ..... 13 4 2 16—33
Referee—Will.

Generals Cop Match

LEXINGTON, Va., Dec. 19 (AP)—In their first appearance in four seasons, the Washington and Lee wrestlers came within one match of scoring a shutout over Loyola of Baltimore today, dropping the final heavyweight bout in taking a 31-5 victory.

Caseys Lose Hard Fought Cage Duel To Legion 35-32

Amvets Emerge Victorious Over Fulton Myers Post, 42-30

INTERSTATE LEAGUE
STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Lonaconing Legion	5	0	1.000
Cumberland Amvets	5	1	.833
Cumberland Legion	4	2	.667
Cumberland K. of C.	4	2	.667
Cumberland Moose	3	3	.500
Mt. Savage VFW	1	4	.200
Fulton Myers Post	1	5	.167
Paw Paw Legion	0	6	.000

SUNDAY GAME
Paw Paw at Amvets

Racking up a total of 16 field goals and meshing 10 of 22 free throws, Coach Norman Gerdeman's Amvets turned in their fifth win in six starts in the Interstate League by dealing out a 42 to 30 setback to Fulton Myers Post, American Legion, in the opening game of a doubleheader last night on SS. Peter and Paul court.

In a thrilling nightcap, Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, outlasted Cumberland Council, Knights of Columbus, to grab a 35 to 32 decision. The victory tied the Legion with the Caseys for third place in the eight-club circuit.

Don Whiteman paced the Amvets to victory by scoring an even dozen points while "Pete" Lear and Walter "Pooch" Orndorff collected nine points each. Bernard Smith led the losers with 12 markers.

Fulton Myers Post was credited with 12 fielders and connected for six foul goals in 17 throws.

Taking a 9-5 lead at the quarter, the Amvets held the upper hand throughout. At the halfway mark the score was 19-10 and the close of the third period, 30-21.

The Caseys got away to a bad start in the second game, trailing 7-1 at the quarter and 19-8 at intermission. The Knights were on the short end of a 30-17 count in the third stanza and gave the Legion a real scarce by outscoring the ultimate winners 15 points to five to finish three points in the rear at the final whistle.

Rowan, of the Caseys, was the game's high scorer with 18 points. In fact, he and Francis Chapman gathered 26 points between them. Sterne and Geatz led the Legion attack by scoring eight and seven points.

Glenn Brant and John Sloan, of the Legion, were ejected on personal fouls while the Caseys lost Ray Swach following the latter's run-in with Referee Herboldsheimer. The lineups:

FIRST GAME

AMVETS	G.	F.	Pts.
Leak, f	4	1-3	9
Sherman, f	2	0-0	4
Roby, c	1	1-1	3
W. Orndorff, g	4	1-3	9
Whiteman, g	4	4-8	12
W. Spangler, sub	0	1-3	1
Gerdeman, sub	1	2-4	4
B. Orndorff, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	16	10-22	42

FULTON MYERS	G.	F.	Pts.
Hollingsworth, f	0	0-0	0
Nailer, f	0	0-0	0
Broome, c	3	0-2	6
Smith, g	6	4-6	12
Yates, g	3	2-6	8
Banks, sub	0	0-1	0
Washington, sub	1	0-2	2
Davis, sub	0	0-0	0
Cleggett, sub	1	0-0	2
Totals	12	6-17	30

Points by periods:
AMVETS ..... 9 10 11 12—42
FULTON MYERS ..... 5 5 11 9—30
Referee—Herman Koegel.

SECOND GAME

AMERICAN LEGION	G.	F.	Pts.
Wilson, f	2	1-3	5
Dean, f	1	2-5	4
Brant, c	1	2-5	4
Geatz, g	3	1-3	7
Sterne, g	4	0-0	8
McIntyre, sub	2	2-3	6
Sloan, sub	0	1-2	1
Totals	13	9-21	35

K. OF C.	G.	F.	Pts.
Malamphy, f	1	1-3	3
Rowan, f	6	6-8	18
Chapman, c	4	0-3	8
Swach, g	0	1-1	1
Mecone, g	0	0-0	0
Smith, sub	0	1-2	1
Frame, sub	0	1-1	1
Totals	11	10-18	32

Points by periods:
AM. LEGION ..... 7 12 11 5—35
K. OF C. ..... 1 7 9 15—32
Referee—Herboldshimer.

COLLEGE BOXING
At College Park: Virginia 4½, Maryland 3½.

Piedmont Scores Over Bartonites In Close Battle

Lions Pull Game Out Of Fire In Closing Minutes, 34 To 31

PIEDMONT, W. Va., Dec. 19—Piedmont High School pulled through with its fifth straight triumph of the season tonight but had to come from behind in the closing minutes of play to edge Barton High School on the latter's court, 34 to 31.

The score was tied four times during the hectic battle and Barton was leading by three points with five minutes to go when the Lions rallied to win.

Barton was on top, 14-6 at the quarter, but Piedmont grabbed the lead at 22-18 at the half. The score was knotted at 27-27 when the third period ended.

Evers Smith, Piedmont substitute, played a nice game, and his shot from mid-floor put Piedmont ahead for the first time in the second period. Tracy Riggins, who played basketball for Piedmont last season, and starred for LaSalle's football team during the past season, played for Coach "Huck" Miers' team tonight. He was declared eligible by the state athletic board.

B. Warnick, of Barton, registered ten points to lead the game's scorers while Wallace Blackburn, of Piedmont, and Ross, of Barton, each had ten points to their credit.

The lineups:

PIEDMONT	G.	F.	Pts.
Ward, f	2	4-5	8
Blackburn, f	4	1-2	9
Beddings, c	1	5-6	7
Pucci, g	3	0-3	6
Hodo, g	0	0-0	0
Smith, g	2	0-0	4
Riggins, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	12	10-16	34

BARTON	G.	F.	Pts.
Green, f	2	0-0	4
B. Warnick, f	5	0-0	10
Lamberson, c	0	0-2	0
Bradley, g	3	2-5	8
Ross, g	3	3-4	9
E. Warnick, f	0	0-0	0
Metz, c	0	0-0	0
Totals	13	5-11	31

Points by periods:
PIEDMONT ..... 6 16 5 7—34
BARTON ..... 14 4 9 4—31
Referee—Bill Hahn.

SPORT SLANTS

Byers Coaches Goodyears When 40 Cents Was Top

Vote Down 12-Day Meets, Local Amateurs Improve

By C. V. BURNS

"Lefty" Byers, who played on numerous occasions from 1927 to 1933, with Olson's Terrible Swedes against Cumberland's once famous Caseys, is coach of the Goodyear Aircraft Pros, of Akron, Ohio, who are scheduled to play the Cumberland-Amvets Sunday night on SS. Peter and Paul court.

In his younger days Byers was one of the cleverest shots and ball handlers ever seen in action here. We recall that on one of his appearances here with the Swedes he shot 12 field goals on a Sunday afternoon to practically beat the local team single-handed.

Byers played with Olson's Swedes and the Original Nordics in the days when big George Campbell, Roy Richeson, Anthony Wapp, the big full-blooded Indian, and Ted Gullic, St. Louis Browns' outfielder, were members of Olson's classy road team.

"Lefty" first starred in basketball at Kansas State, led the "Big Six" in scoring and made the "Big Six" all-star college team.

Since leaving the Swedes, Byers played with Flint General Motors, the Akron Firestones and the Akron Collegians. He was coach of the Akron Goodyears when the Ohio quint won two national championships.

Perusing some clippings the other day we noted that in 1933 the Caseys played the Cleveland Rosenblum Celtics, world's pro basketball champions, before 800 cash customers at the state armory at popular prices of 40, 35 and 25 cents. Wonder how many would turn out for such an attraction nowadays at those prices?

The Rosies' lineup that season included one of the greatest collection of pro cagers ever assembled, namely, Davey Banks, Joe Lapchick, "Pete" Barry, Henry "Dutch" Dehnert, Rich Deighan and Cookie Cunningham.

The best pro basketball team we've ever seen in action was the New York Original Celtics that played in Keyser in 1923. Johnny Beckman and Nat Holman, forwards, George "Horse" Haggerty, center, and "Dutch" Dehnert and Chris Leonard, guards, was the personnel of that great aggregation.

Clifton W. White, president and general manager of the Cumberland Fair Association, says that the proposal made recently by a prominent horseman that Maryland half milers extend their season from ten to 12 day of racing, has been voted down by officials of the state minor circuits.

"The group decided that ten days of racing was enough," White asserted.

Bill Klem, the dean of major league umpires, paid a nice tribute to the late Walter P. Johnson, the "Big Train" of baseball, the other day when he said:

"Walter Johnson had more character in his little finger than a whole wagon-load of celebrities. We need more like him in baseball today."

A sports columnist asked Joe Louis about those good fighters supposed to be in the army.

"Remember when they said the guy who would lick you would come out of the army?" the writer asked.

"He ain't been discharged yet," Joe replied.

Duquesne university's high-stepping basketball team which handed the Amvets their initial setback of the season, has been chosen to help inaugurate outdoor doubleheaders in the Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla., January 15.

The opponent for "Chick" Davies' Dukes is expected to be Georgia, Georgia Tech or Miami.

Duquesne will make the journey south by chartered plane.

The reason Joey Depangravo, of Central City, Pa., failed to come here to fight Bobby Goss in the Legion amateur show Monday was because he was stopped by Clem LaPava in the finals of the Allegany Mountains Association tourney in Pittsburgh last Friday.

Local simon pure mittmen have shown up exceptionally well against out-of-town teams this season, winning 18 out of 26 matches. Last summer in six out-of-town shows local scrappers won only eight of 33 matches.

Here's the record of local boys for the seven shows staged here this season:

Against	W.	L.	Pct.
Lewistown	4	0	1.000
Portage	4	0	1.000
Washington	2	0	1.000
Keystate	7	6	.538
Morgantown	1	2	.333
Totals	18	8	.692

Brother Dacian Stephen, former principal and director of LaSalle High School, is a patient at Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., according to information received by the Christian Brothers at the local school.

The left side of Brother Stephen's face appears to be paralyzed and it is believed he suffered a stroke.

Brother Stephen left LaSalle two years ago to join the faculty of St. Francis High School, Eddington, Pa., after having served as principal at the North Centre Street school for nine years.

Martin Says It Would Be Hard To Throw Game

Sports Writer Asserts Coaches Could Tell If Player Was Loafing

By WHITNEY MARTIN

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Well, if you were going to fix a football game, how would you go about it?

That is, how many players would you contact to make sure that if they saw their duty they wouldn't do it?

We have an idea that to absolutely assure a fix the number of guys you would have to involve would be almost prohibitive from the standpoint of the amount of money you would have to put out, and the risk that one of the number would get caught with his mouth open and the whole scheme would come to the attention of the gendarmes.

One or two outstanding backfield men might be able to do some harm for awhile by sluffing their jobs, but coaches are no dumb clucks and it wouldn't take them long to spot a guy who wasn't playing his game, and to yank him out of there willy-nilly. We don't think a lineman could do enough damage to be noticable.

Coach Would Catch On

If a backfield star involved is, say, a fine passer and makes it his sordid business to try to throw the ball just out of reach of the receivers, he'll have to make it so close that the receiver, if not in on the plot, would have a pretty good chance of grabbing it anyway. If he missed too far, time after time, the coach would yank him and put in someone who could throw.

If he is a great runner he might make it his business to go down easily when hit, or fumble. Again the coach, if he knows his man, can tell whether he is playing his game. If he fumbles too often he gets yanked too, as the star passer might be. The same might be true if he consistently muffed passes right in his hands, although it's true he might muff one in the end zone which could cause a lot of damage.

The money-mad star might miss his man purposely on a block, but that wouldn't necessarily be fatal if the ball carrier had alert feet and avoided the tackler anyway. He might, while on defense, make a rag-doll tackle and let the runner through, but again an honest teammate might be right there to spill the man. He might be blind on pass defense, but a coach ordinarily doesn't tolerate laxity in that direction very long.

All this merely to show that one or two men might do some harm for a while to their team, but the other players might easily make up for their sloppy play and offset the damage.

You usually can tell if a player is trying on a football field. In a prize ring it's not so easy, and we've seen fights that looked like the road company of the Battle of Waterloo that were disclosed as strictly phonies.

Should Get Gambler

If the pro grid moguls want to take a step toward preventing indifferent performances they might empower the game officials to turn in reports of anything they suspected of being not in keeping with the best interests of the contest.

The officials are right there, seeing the game through a microscope compared with the view the average fan gets of the play. They might be wrong in their judgment as to whether a player is trying or not, and it would be their word against the player's, but at least it would throw a scare into a guilty guy to know he might be called on the carpet to explain why he had a clear shot at a ball carrier running for a touchdown and didn't even make a feeble try at him.

Between the coaches and officials, the club owners have quite a weapon to fight possible crooked play.

We're not intimating that the pro play has been crooked. We're just figuring what might happen, and what steps could be taken to prevent it happening. After all, the real culprit is the warped-minded guy who attempts to lure the players into evil ways. Get him first and nothing will happen.

First Methodists, B. & O. Backshops Win In YMCA Loop

Church Cagers Beat Sons Of Italy, 17-14; VFW Loses, 27-17

YMCA SENIOR LEAGUE
STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.
First Methodist	2	0	1.000
Lapp's Plumbers	2	0	1.000
Ridgeley Legion	1	1	.500
Wm. Paca Club	1	1	.500
Nierman's Jewelers	1	1	.500
B. & O. Back Shops	1	1	.500
Cumberland Heights	0	2	.000
Henry Hart Post	0	2	.000

GAMES NEXT WEEK
Monday—Wm. Paca Club vs. Cumberland Hts.; VFW vs. Lapp's Plumbers.
Thursday—Nierman's vs. Ridgeley; B. & O. Backshops vs. First Methodist.

Coach Russell Ice's First Methodist Church Seniors tied Lapp's Plumbers for first place in the Central YMCA Senior's Men's Basketball League by defeating the William Paca Club, Sons of Italy, last night on the "Y" court by the score of 17 to 14.

The Methodists shut out their opponents in the second quarter to take a 12-4 lead at the halfway mark and managed to eke out a three-point triumph although outscored 10 to 5 in the second half. The Seniors led 15-12 at the close of the third quarter.

Art McDade was the game's high scorer with six points. Ray Ice made five markers for the winners.

A second quarter rally which netted eleven points enabled the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Backshops to notch its first victory of the season in the league over Henry Hart Post, No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars, in the opener of the twin bill. The score was 27-17.

Trailing 7-4 in the first period, the railroaders outscored the Vets 11 to 1 in the second quarter to move out front 15-8 at the half. When the third stanza ended the Back Shops quint held a 21-14 advantage.

Bill Hughes topped the B. & O. attack with 12 markers while Gene Hixon was the high point man for the Vets with nine tallies. The lineups:

VFW	G.	F.	Pts.
Barnes, f	0	1-1	1
S. Martin, f	0	0-0	0
Hixon, c	3	3-3	9
Perkins, g	2	1-1	5
Norris, g	1	0-1	2
D. Martin, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	6	5-6	17

B & O BACKSHOPS	G.	F.	Pts.
Mason, f	0	5-6	5
Sterne, f	2	0-1	4
Hartung, c	1	0-1	2
Hughes, g	5	2-3	12
Collins, g	2	0-2	4
Totals	10	7-13	27

Points by periods:
B. & O. ..... 4 11 6 6—27
V. F. W. ..... 7 1 6 3—17
Referee—Stotler.

WM. PACA CLUB	G.	F.	Pts.
W. Davis, f	0	1-1	1
Hoban, f	2	0-0	4
Wilkinson, c	0	0-0	0
Abbott, g	1	1-2	3
Reynolds, g	0	0-3	0
McDade, sub	3	0-0	6
Totals	6	2-6	14

FIRST METH. CHURCH	G.	F.	Pts.
P. Lucas, f	0	3-3	3
R. Shrout, f	0	0-2	0
D. Crabtree, c	2	0-2	4
R. Ice, f	2	1-2	5
C. Crabtree, g	1	0-2	2
Cunningham, sub	1	0-1	2
Robinette, sub	0	1-1	1
Totals	6	5-13	17

Points by periods:
FIRST METHODIST ..... 4 8 3 2—17
WM. PACA CLUB ..... 4 0 8 2—14
Referee—Stotler.

Terp Boxers Lose

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Dec. 19 (AP)—The University of Virginia boxing team defeated the University of Maryland's leather pushers tonight, 4½ to 3½ before a crowd of 3,000 in Ritchie Coliseum.

Six Knockouts Mark Show In Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19 (AP)—All six fights on tonight's Aragon ballroom card ended in knockouts with Charley "Young" Zivic, 151-pound Pittsburgher, winning the main event over Barney Moore, 155, of New York in 2:34 of the first round.

Jack Eisenberger, 139, Pittsburgh, scored a technical knockout over Al Gualtiere, 132, Washington, Pa., in 2:40 of the third round. Sammy Matrean, 138, Pittsburgh, won a technical knockout over Don Lawson, 141, Steubenville, O., in 1:56 of the first round.

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Pro Grid Playoff Will Attract 50,000

Browns, Yankees Drill For Game Sunday In Ohio

All-America Loop Will Discuss Disposal Of Miami Franchise

By LARRY SMITH

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19 (AP) — While the Cleveland Browns and the New York Yankees worked out today for the All-America Conference's first championship playoff Sunday, front officials cast anxious glances at the weather forecasts.

The Brown's bosses remember well what happened when the Cleveland (now Los Angeles) Rams of the National Football League had a playoff game here last December. The mercury skidded to two below zero and stay-at-home ticket holders outnumbered those who bought ducats at the gate on the day of the tussle.

Browns' Ticket Chief Jerry Forstner, basing his prediction on the advance sale and gambling a bit on the weather, estimated that Sunday's crowd would reach 50,000.

All-America Conference officials will hold an all-day meeting here tomorrow with the first item on the agenda being the disposal of the Miami, Fla., franchise which the league had to rescue a couple of weeks ago.

Despite the failure of pro football's debut in Florida, a group of Miamians, headed by Frank Harney, is attempting to keep the franchise there.

Bids have been received from Philadelphia, Dallas, Baltimore and New Orleans and there is a rumor that Ted Collins would like to move his Boston club from the National to the All-America.

Missouri Team Outmodes Two-Digit Scoreboard

KIRKSVILLE, Mo., Dec. 19 (AP) —A two-digit scoreboard just isn't big enough for the Northeast Missouri State College basketball team which averaged more than five points a minute in its latest game.

The Bulldogs smothered Montana Polytechnic Institute of Billings under a 102 to 35 decision last night in winning their eighth straight game of the season. When they reached the century mark, the scorekeeper had to start all over again.

Amassing an average of 77 points a game, the Bulldogs have held the opposition to an average of 38 points. Their poorest showing was a 58 to 35 victory last week over Quincy, Ill., college.

CAPTAIN FIRED — Jim Daniell, above, tackle and captain of the Cleveland Browns of the All-America Football Conference, was fired by Coach Paul Brown less than a week before the loop playoff game following an altercation with police on intoxication charges. Two other players, Lou Rymkus, tackle, and Mac Speedie, end, were involved in the altercation but, according to Brown, "their cases will be dealt with later."

PARI-MUTUEL BETTING ON DOG RACES SOUGHT BY MARYLAND GROUP

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19. (AP)—Provided the Maryland legislature approves pari-mutuel betting on dog races, a new sports arena will be built here for dog races, football, outdoor boxing and other events.

Thomas G. Tinsley, Jr., a radio executive serving as spokesman for the syndicate, said the group plans a 90-day dog racing season, subject to legislative act, which would not conflict with Maryland horse racing.

In addition, money would be set aside for breeding of whippets and greyhounds in order to keep control of the undertaking in the hands of Baltimore business men.

Tinsley's associates in the enterprise include Talbot T. Speer, Annapolis publisher; B. Warren Corkran, investment banker; Latimer Stewart, insurance executive; and Felix A. Leser, Maryland whippet breeder.

Whitney Martin Weds

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Whitney Martin, Associated Press sports columnist, of New York, and Mrs. Betty Silliman of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, were married today by Bronx County Judge Lester Patterson.

Eddie Brannick, secretary of the New York Giants baseball team, and Mrs. Brannick were the attendants.

20 Games Remain On Cage Schedule Of Potomac State

Cats Resume Action Jan. 6 At Salem; Split Even In Four Contests

KEYSER, W. Va., Dec. 19—Potomac State School's basketball team will face a twenty-game schedule when it returns to the hardwood wars after the holiday season. Nine of the tilts will be played on the familiar boards of the Catamount court.

The Loughmen will open the stretch against Salem College at Salem, W. Va., on January 6 and will conclude their regular season March 7 at Frostburg, Md., playing the Frostburg State Teachers College five. On March 10, 11, 12 Coach Dana "Horse" Lough will take his squad to Buckhannon, W. Va., for the annual West Virginia State Collegiate cage tourney.

Potomac State has won two of four games thus far. The Hilltoppers beat Salem 46-45 and the Cumberland Amvets 55-53. Losses were to Glenville State 52-51 and the Cumberland Amvets 42-36.

The Potomac State Schedule is as follows:

Jan. 6—Salem College at Salem, W. Va.
Jan. 7—Broaddus College at Philippi, W. Va.
Jan. 10—Fairmont College at Keyser.
Jan. 15—Davis-Elkins College, at Elkins, W. Va.
Jan. 16—Concord College at Athens, W. Va.
Jan. 17—Bluefield College at Bluefield, W. Va.
Jan. 18—Shenandoah College at Dayton, Va.
Jan. 24—West Liberty College at Keyser.
Jan. 29—Shepherd College at Keyser.
Feb. 1—West Liberty College at West Liberty, W. Va.
Feb. 4—Wesleyan College at Buckhannon, W. Va.
Feb. 7—Broaddus College at Keyser.
Feb. 10—Frostburg College at Keyser.
Feb. 12—Shenandoah College at Keyser.
Feb. 15—Shepherd College at Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Feb. 18—Glenville State College at Glenville, W. Va.
Feb. 21—Westinghouse Apprentice School of Pittsburgh at Keyser.
Feb. 22—Bluefield College at Keyser.
March 4—Concord College at Keyser.
March 7—Frostburg College at Frostburg, Md.
March 10, 11, 12—W. Va. College Basketball Tournament at Buckhannon, W. Va.

Bucs Get Pitcher

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19. (AP)—The deal which will bring Dewey Soriano, 27-year-old right hander, from the Seattle Club of the Pacific Coast League to the Pittsburgh Pirates was completed today.

General Manager Roy Hamey said that Pitcher Jim Hopper and Pitcher Rex Cecil will be sent to the coast team in exchange for the Seattle hurler. Hopper has been a member of the Pirates three years but pitched less than four innings of major league ball.

Navy's Showing Voted Most Surprising Event

Performance Of Middies Against Army Viewed As Biggest Surprise Of Year 1946

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP) — The year 1946 was a surprising one to sports fans and experts alike and the experts had a terrific time deciding which was the most surprising event.

In a showdown vote, 70 sports writers throughout the nation participating in the Associated Press year-end poll finally gave the Navy football team's performance against the mighty, unbeaten Army squad an edge over the St. Louis Cardinals' defeat of the Boston Red Sox in the world series.

Navy, losing the big game by a 21-18 score after being stopped on the three yard line in the final minute of play, drew 26 first-place ballots as providing the year's biggest surprise.

Fifteen more writers gave that near-upset by a team which had won only one game their second-choice votes and one picked the Midshipmen third.

The Cardinals' upset victory over Boston was voted the No. 1 surprise by 21 writers with ten second-place and one third-place vote tossed in.

But various other surprises of the world series also came in for attention, including Ted Williams' failure to hit—mentioned by five experts—Rudy York's home runs, Harry Brecheen's pitching and Enos Slaughter's rufning.

Scoring the votes on a 3-2-1 basis, the Navy footballers earned 109 points and the various aspects of the world series 103 points. Not all the writers cast second and third place ballots.

One listed the Red Sox runaway victory in the American League pennant race as an even bigger surprise than their defeat in the series and another gave his first choice to "the surprise experienced by Boston's John Pesky as he turned toward home plate in the closing series game to see Enos Slaughter streaking in with the winning run."

Princeton's football victory over Pennsylvania received a one-point margin over the Brooklyn Dodgers' feat of tieing the Cardinals for the National League pennant and then losing in a playoff in the balloting for the third-biggest surprise. The Tigers received 18 points and the Dodgers 17.

Committee Will Probe Mountaineer Athletics

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 19 (AP)—President Irvin Stewart of West Virginia University announced today the appointment of a special committee to "study the organization for the conduct of all phases of intercollegiate athletics" at the institution.

Named to the committee were:

Robert H. C. Kay of Charleston who was designated chairman, and James M. Guiher of Clarksburg, representing the Alumni Association; Dean G. Ott Romney of the school of physical education and athletics, and J. O. Knapp, director of agricultural extension, and Joseph P. Condry of Clarksburg, law student.

In addition, two members of the board of governors, Douglas Bowers of Beckley and William G. Thompson of Montgomery, were named to represent the board at the hearings and the deliberations of the committee.

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South End Market Wins At Lonaconing

The South End Market basketball team defeated the Central Reserves last night on the Central High School court, Lonaconing, by the score of 26 to 15.

Bishop was high scorer for the Marketeers with 10 points while Cook registered eight markers.

The quarter scores were 12-4, 17-7 and 21-7 with South End in front throughout. Lineups:

CENTRAL RES.	G.	F.	Pts.
Kelley, f	0	2-2	2
Broderick, f	0	0-0	0
Mills, c	0	0-0	0
Cook, g	1	6-7	8
Lee, g	1	0-1	2
Davis, sub	0	0-0	0
Stafford, sub	1	1-1	3
McKenzie, sub	0	0-0	0
Love, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	3	9-11	15

SOUTH END MARKET	G.	F.	Pts.
Bishop, f	5	0-0	10
Clark, f	0	0-2	0
Dorsey, c	1	1-1	3
Squires, g	1	0-2	2
Sommerkamp, g	3	0-2	6
Jones, sub	0	2-3	2
Orndoff, sub	1	1-2	3
Totals	11	4-12	26

Referee—Frizzell.

Lew Andreas is coaching his 22nd Syracuse University basketball squad. His teams have won 289 games and lost 98 for an all-time mark of 75 percent.

Only three teams in Orange Bowl history have failed to fumble — Auburn and Michigan State in 1938 and Mississippi State in 1937.

Betting On Horse Racing Nears Two Billion Mark

$1,830,287,455 Wagered On 2,433 Race Days In 19 Of 20 States Where Horses Run

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Horse-racing came back from its war rations to skyrocket close up to the two-billion-dollar-business mark in 1946 for an all-time national betting high, with California booming so high it moved in as a threat to New York's long-time run as the nation's truf capital.

Ever since the mutuel machines came to New York, back in '39, the Empire State has been far out in front and galloping among all states in the matter ot business done by the iron men. But this year, with what apparently was a minor "strike" of bettors over a new five-per cent city tax that boosted the "bite" taken from mutuel bets to 15 per cent of every dollar, New York wagering fell off for the first time, dropping from $450,663,190 for 154 days in 1945 to $407,105,748 for 192 days in '46.

At the same time, California got back on a peace-time schedule of 287 days, compared to the 110 for the 1944-45 fiscal year, and the sunkist customers "invested" a total of $400,026,946 this time as against the mere $152,394,493 of the previous period, moving California over Illinois in second place on the national list.

New York's average daily handle slipped from $2,886,740 to $2,120,343, and the daily average bet per person fell to $83.05 from $96.16. California, meantime, with its far more favorable racing weather for a longer period of time each year, turned in a daily handle of $1,393,822, up from $1,385,404 for the short 1945 season, and the per capita average zipped to $84.78 from $55.30.

All told, $1,830,287,455 was bet on the 2,433 racing days this year in 19 of the 20 states where the horses run. Last year, it was $1,325,619,356 for 1,788 days. The 20th state is Nebraska, where the figures are not a matter of public record and the state doesn't cut in for revenue.

The number of deaths from measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough and diphtheria has declined 95 percent since 1915.

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Sugar Robinson And Tommy Bell Clash For Title

Welter Crown Is At Stake In 15-Round Battle Tonight

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Sugar Ray Robinson has been the often-a-bridesmaid beak-buster of the welterweight championship campaigning for the past five years, and tomorrow night he finally gets a chance to grab the whole bouquet.

Ray Robinson

The Harlem sugar man tangles over the 15-round bout in Madison Square Garden with Tommy Bell, an able journeyman jolter out of Youngstown, Ohio, and even the National Boxing Association and the New York Commission are agreed that if he wins, he can take the title home.

Now this makes the situation unique in itself, because the NBA and the sage salons of New York usually get along like pickles and ice cream. But this time there isn't any defending champion since Marty Servo abdicated with an aching nose, and Sugar Ray has been generally tabbed as the uncrowned king of the welterweights for the past five years now He has been beaten only once in his career of 75 fights, and trying to keep him off the throne this time, if he can ring the Bell from Ohio, would be like keeping Santa Claus out of the chimney.

Of course, the uptown stringbean is going to have to climb into that ring and take care of Tommy. And while the gambling guys are so convinced of it they've made him just about a shut-out favorite at odds as high as 1 to 4, it is no sure-pop to happen.

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

By "BUCK" WEAVER
The Louisville Times

TROPICAL PARK—(FAST)
1—Sun Volo, Rebuke, Appetizer.
2—Happy Me, Good Show, Valdina Strike.
3—Signal Knob, Pompey's Song, Little Touch.
4—The Wing, Foxy Nettie, Crump-Ed-Ell Entry.
5—Triton, War Page, Roi Rouge.
6—Eire, The Problem, Prefect.
7—Reaping Gold, Show, Albatross.
8—Sal's Sister, Homer, Brevrome.
BEST BET—Triton.

FAIR GROUNDS—(FAST)
1—Small Stuff, Knighthood, White Heels.
2—Johnnie Ebret, Hasty Million, Try Flying.
3—Momentous, Alara, Damion's Ariel.
4—Blazing Away, Campagna's Cal, Casa Libre.
5—Code Mentor, Scouting, Alpine King.
6—Jack S. L., Bold Question, Scholarship.
7—Ty Special, Chislam, Impenetrable.
8—Pari-King, More Stings, Subdue.
BEST BET—Jack S. L.

CONSENSUS AT TROPICAL
(By The Associated Press)
(FAST TRACK)
1—Boquhan, Happy Haste, War Train.
2—Intermission, Green Garden, River Light.
3—Gray Warrior, Lido Way, Little Touch.
4—Foxy Nettie, Irish Count, Night Cries.
5—Triton, Roi Rouge, Middle Man.
6—Eire, Damos, The Problem.
7—Broadloom, Reaping Gold, Ice Girl.
8—Sal's Sister, Homer, Rinarose.
BEST BET—Sal's Sister.

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1—$1,200, claiming, 2, 6 f.

xBig Affair	107	War Train	113
xSun Volo	104	Doctor L. M.	112
xLady Rheanelle	109	Beautiful Time	105
xVelocity Miss	109	xAppetizer	109
Ben DeHaven	112	Poignancy	112
Upswing	107	Pille D' Lait	109
Simond	110	xHappy Haste	112
Iowa Girl	105	Flowing Oil	108
Rebuke	117	Boquhan	110

2—$1,800, claiming, 3 and up, 6 f.

Blenco	118	xLord Hairan	118
xIntermission	114	xBalu Empress	110
xHappy Me	111	xBean Pot	110
Duke Tower	118	Valdina Stroke	118
Strolling Don	118	Sun Moss	119
xGood Show	117	xGlacial Run	115
Green Garden	113	xRiver Light	115
xCardinal's Glee	110	Blue Devil	115
Iron Don	118	xMichigander	113

3—$1,800, maiden, 2, 6 f.

Lido Way	118	Sea Trail	118
Signal Knob	118	Crow's Biff	118
xGeorge Ware	113	Flying Ty	118
Pennstown	118	Danna Like	118
Generator	118	Little Touch	118
Gray Warior	118	Sir Pince	118
Pompey's Song	118		

4—$2,000, claiming, 3 and up, 6 f.

a-The Wing	112	xDon Miller	107
Lost and Found	115	c-Nite Cries	115
b-Irish Count	113	xHedgethorn	110
c-Newtown	110	Lawyer Larry	113
Uncle Byron	112	xMarie J.	107
xFoxy Nettie	104	xI'm O'Sullivan	05
Onecbill	115	Rough Feathers	115
Bowling Green	115	b-Babomac	110
a-Stell	109	Admiral's Aide	113

a-Emery-C. W. Ford entry.
b-A. Shlager-H. H. Price entry.
c-G. M. Crump-Ed-Ell Stable entry.

5—$2,300, allowances, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Middle Man	117	xMary's Dell	109
War Page	121	Alabama	121
xPree Transit	116	xCross Bayou	110
Triton	121	Open Palm	117
Grado Primero	117	xStage Star	112
xArrow Courier	112	xTony V.	113
xBlenhara	109	Logansport	109
xRoi Rouge	116	xEstate	105
xInquietus	104		

6—$2,800, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Eire	111	a-Briarcliff	110
Prefect	120	Damos	107
Kingarvie	114	Applause	112
a-The Problem	106	St. Jock	113

a-Mrs. T. Christopher entry.

7—$2,000, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Ice Girl	114	xLord Caprice	108
xPort Schuyler	104	xGun Flak	108
Reaping Gold	117	xBroadloom	109
Hidden Ace	120	xSun Fly	105
Mike K.	113	Albatross	112
I Conquer	120	Brunon	113
Show	116	xPandango	105
Bonnie Andrew	120	Syrian Boy	120
Pure Silk	110	Giant Princess	113

8—$1,800, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m

xAnsted	115	Homer	118
xThrax	113	xLas Vegas	111
xSir Bogie	113	Easy Jack	116
xIndian Giver	115	xBrevrome	112
xRinarose	104	Due Sport	118
Ace Star	118	Sal's Sister	119
Cyrus P.	116	xBellezza	113
xAnimadora	108	Selcap	120
Away	120	Jack Tangle	116

x-5 lbs. AAC.
Horses listed in order of post positions.

Charles Town Entries

1—$1,000, claiming, 3 and up, 4½ f.

xCarsam	111	Argos	119
xMayfern	111	xGeneral Knight	117
xTie Me	111	Plexico	116
Club Scotch	119	xWise Don	114
xPatty Boy	114	Janet Ragland	116
xOutlet	111	Blablah	116
xMiss Poster	111	Kes	116

2—$1,000, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

xSallipatica	105	xClaire Whizz	105
xOvergold	108	xErica	108
xMid Knight	108	xTexaldue	113
xPaula Grier	108	xMerrily Go	108
On The Wane	110	Rakala	113
White Sea	110	Bird O' Gold	110
xSilver Tower	111	Brown Flower	110

3—$1,000, claiming, 3 and up, 6½ f.

Masheen	120	xSmart Brigade	109
xLittle Knight	112	xCast Out	115
Roseful	114	Big Sam	117
xHill Flares	112	xKohinoor	112
xPete's Gold	115	Raboul	117
xDuel Can	109	xMaroc	112
He'll Try	115	xPlying Wise	112

4—$1,000, allowances, 2, 6½ f.

End Run	117	Latimer	117
Valiant Dot	117	Honest Knave	120
xSandal's Fleet	112	Play Foot	120
Scotch Sand	120	xSincon	112
xPole Star	112	x'saider	112
xPetee Wren	115	xLoutey	115
Talcum Spray	117	Town's Bully	117

5—$1,000, allowances, 3, course.

Silent Rose	116	Hasty Blue	116
xWave Off	108	xShoe Lace	108
Free Valley	119	Dowsabel	113
Charing Pal	116	xLand Of Nod	108
xSightseer	114	xMajeto	111
Our Bid	116	xCasement	111
xSinging Harp	111	xSpring On	111

6—$1,000, allowances, 3 and up, 7 f.

Woofie	119	Gallant	116
xRoadscraper	114	xLalli Rose	113
Honour Student	119	Royal Favor	112
Late Time	116	xBoston Man	116
French Nine	115	xLeaping Moose	116
Glaster	119	xComedy Player	110
Chillie Tang	115	xDainger Girl	111

7—$,200, allowances, 3 and up, 1⅛ m.

xMasterdom	110	xHot Pole	106
Local Finance	114	xCar Sir	116
Nibble	121	Singular	121
xTristenagh	110	Placerville	118
xAlhalon	113	Miss Neptune	115
xCalabozo	110	xFlying John	110
Rough Honey	116	xSvengali	108

8—$1,000, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

xHemhop	105	Good Gravy	114
xToil Away	104	xWell Allright	116
xBugler	112	Big Jack	117
xHappy Moose	109	xClifton's Comet	112
xNorsh Sea	112	xAnchor Chain	112
xSkean	108	xFreeland's Own	112
Calydon	117	xWalter Haight	112

x-5lbs. AAC.
Listed in order of post positions.

Fair Grounds Entries

1—$1,100, maidens, 2, 6 f.

Cold Tony	118	Knighthood	118
xDevil Role	113	Victory Banner	118
xSir Panar	113	a-Small Stuff	118
a-Bougalee	118	xGallant G.I.	113
xPond Wish	110	Jalbeg	110
White Heels	118	Richwail	118
xBig Dub	113		

a-J. B. Theall entry.

2—$1,100, claiming, 3 and up, 6 f.

Air Gee	108	xElegant Lad	103
xGallant Vi	106	xMiss Tullahoma	103
Grand Love	114	xAuditor	109
Robins Crown	114	Johnnie Ehret	114
Why So	120	xHard Jester	115
xTuckie	103	xHasty Million	115
xTry Flying	113	Westwood Belle	108
xShifty Sue	112	xStar Thorne	103

3—$1,100, maidens, 3 and up, 6 f.

Alara	112	Merita	115
Spice Bush	115	Lena's Boy	115
xMiller Boy	112	xBono	112
Damions Ariel	115	Clocker	115
xLuna Bonito	109	Sprilis	114
xSun Tannery	109	Belle Beau	111
xSweep Flag	112	xSte. Lucre	107
xTed Char	110	xFlagshifter	112
xMomentous	110	Major Attack	117

4—$1,100, claiming, 2, 1 1-16 m.

xCampagnas Cal	104	Little Stick	109
xBlazing Away	101	xRanking Boy	107
xHay Voy	101	Casa Libre	106
Flying Miss	106	Queens Brand	106

5—$1,100, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

New Caledonia	104	xAlpine King	112
xVonceil	112	Rose Exhibit	105
Donas Past	104	Vinita General	110
xLady Duane	106	Here Goes	120
Sunny Sister	108	America Fore	111
xLeoricy	109	xCode Mentor	109
Beamy	117	xGilt Edge	106
Dr. Bones	108	Scouting	117
Bold Copper	111	xLiason	103

6—$1,500, allowances, 3 and up, 6 f.

Achance	117	Pusano	111
Bank Balance	117	xMany Lands	115
Final Glory	117	xHippomenes	106
Scholarship	120	xCaptain Eddie	106
Jack S. L.	111	xWhitchtack	112
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Mr. Chairman	117	Espiritu	108
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7—$1,100, claiming, 3 and up, 1⅛ m.

xTwo By Two	112	xChislam	113
Ty Special	117	xHogie	106
xHappy Finn	103	xSon O Bosun	109
Well Play	111	Glennport	108
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8—$1,100, claiming, 3 and up, 1¼ m.

xStrombus	109	xJim Pat	112
Pari King	111	Subdue	111
Rush Creek	110	xCarolina Bell	106
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Old Folks	111	Waddy	111
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Crucible	111		

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1—Dotty's Bull, R. Holland 160.60, 66.20, 19.80; Kuduwrack, R. Arduini 4.20, 3.60; Free Lass, W. Kirk 5.80.

2—Pogoso, R. Runyon 5.40, 3.40, 2.80; Smart Hombre, O. Doleman 3.40, 2.40; Fiery Steel, P. O'Brien 3.40.

3—Dan Scotch, S. Austin 9.40, 6, 3.20; Golden Brown, J. Baird 11.20, 5.80; Ariel Mission, W. Weber 4.

4—Kid O'Sullivan, J. Tammaro 12, 6.40, 4; Oyster Shell, E. Churchill 8.20, 5.20; Fixed Eye, W. Weber 5.

5—Bar Grenade, H. Hadry 9, 5.80, 3.60; Mr. Jim, G. Cardoza 10.60, 4.40; Grand Venutre, J. Baird 2.40.

6—Colonel Govans, S. Haynes 34.60, 10.60, 5.40; Brooke Argo, G. Napier 3.20, 3; z-Betel, W. Gillespie 12.40.

z-Erreounsly carried in entries as Botel.

7—Royal Step, J. Baird 15.40, 7.20, 4.40; Royal Fleet, R. Calvert 8.40, 4.80; Qona, F. Kenney 3.40.

8—Decisive, P. O'Brien 6, 3.40, 2.40; Midnight Ride, G. Napier 5.40, 3; Play Easy, J. Baird 3.

DAILY DOUBLE—Dotty's Bull and Fogoso paid $214.80.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Platinum Sands, R. Hartwick 33.20 12.20, 6.20; Grain, T. Spencer 4.40, 2.80; dq-Miami Moon, P. Lullo 3.

dq-Finished second, disqualified and placed third.

2—Durban, J. Zubrinic 24, 7.80, 4.60; Border Voluble, H. Wallace 3.80, 2.80; Karis Best, A. Pay 3.

3—a-Brown Clipper, C. Leblanc 3.20, 2.20; 2.20; Lucky Birthday, P. Milligan 3.80, 3.40; a-Michigan Queen, M. Duhon 2.20.

a-J. B. Theall entry.

4—Guy Hottel, W. Bailey 52.40, 15, 7.40; Ball Ball, H. Wallace 6.80, 4.40; Alfhangrier, J. Payne 4.40.

5—Manchac, W. Saunders 5.40, 3.60, 2.80; Frard, J. Combest 14.40, 8.60; Uranium, J. Rienzi 3.40.

6—Miss Marianna, J. Combest 4, 2.40, 2.20; American Eagle, D. West 2.80, 2.80; Rosemere Chief, F. Lullo 4.40.

7—Just Daylight, J. Combest 5.20, 3.20, 2.60; Wake Robin, J. Dattilo 8.20, 4.60; Davitt, H. Wallace 3.

8—Sunrid, W. Bailey 14.40, 6.80, 4.80; War Wise, P. Lullo 9.80, 4.40; Slievemish, T. Spencer 9.

DAILY DOUBLE—Platinum Sands and Durban paid $693.

TROPICAL PARK

1—Princess Eire, F. Hanes 51.50, 15.80, 8.50; Made Good, H. B. Wilson 3.60, 2.80; Pie Lady, T. May 4.

2—Pondshen, G. L. Smith 58.10, 21.60, 9.60; Semper Avanti, J. Sneller 8.40, 4.50; Hygro's Ginger, E. Anyon 4.

3—Boscino Bob, F. Hanes 9.10, 4.80, 5; Sir Jinx, M. A. Buston 4.90, 4.40; Set Point, C. Errico 16.10.

4—Tweet's Boy, P. Roberts 8.70, 5.60, 4.40; Donna's Ace, C. Rogers 4.70, 3.60; Green Dragon, A. Loturco 5.40.

5—Tel O'Sullivan, A. Delara 8.70, 4.50 3.20; Highfortidies, H. B. Wilson 3.90, 2.50; Albert D., R. J. Martin 3.30.

6—Sophocles, J. R. Layton 23.80, 11, 4.30; a-Edemgee, H. B. Wilson 7.10, 3.50; Crack Reward, J. Chestnut 2.60.

a-J. N. Kelly and M. S. Goldnamer entry.

7—Adelphia, J. Richard 20.60, 7.90, 4.60; Justa Note, J. Stout 2.90, 2.40; Turnplate, S. Young 2.90.

8—Kimberley, J. Stout 8.20, 3.80, 3.50; Firebroom, F. Pannell 4.30, 3.30; Ticco, W. Demar 7.10.

DAILY DOUBLE—Princess Eire and Pondshen paid $974.10.

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

TROPICAL PARK: 2—If-If, War Wine, Flying Hero, New Flame, Valdina Stroke, Lyneds Lad, Khayyam's Kid; 3—Tennis Ball, Toy Bombs, Alldepends, Nayada, Joyce W., Boy Angler; 5—Ringthebell; 6—Gregalach, Kingarvie; 7—Patriotism, Casano; 8—Karenette, Mon Teak, Garter, Liberty Head, Waller, Eye For Eye; Gray's Bay, Vinum.

CHARLES TOWN: 1—Judge Advocate, Latimer; 2—Firt Girl, Sallipatica, Clock Time, Clarie Whizz, On the Wane, White Sea; 3—Roseful, Pilot Boat, Mint Ellan, Starkee, Rocky D'Or, Gay Boy Again; 4—Big Sam, Hill Flares, Mystic Man, Petes Gold, Cast Out, Wise Don; 5—Silver Whisk, Mor-Lady, Electric, Dowsabel, Toonerville, Anchor Chain; 6—Kitty Klits, Bit of Nerve, Singing Harp, No Quota, Electron, Saint Patrick; 7—Cab Sir, Garand, Chillie Tang, Sticky Fussy, Boy Larkmead, Calabozo; 8—Riverbank, Andy Alec, Doc Yak, Matakom, Char Foot, Good Queen, Murex.

FAIR GROUNDS: 1—Club Car, Mimsq, Skip Level, Princess Eliza, Delorah, Arrows Away; 2—Milkymoon, Dads, Lady Duane, Son O Bosun, Sunny Sister, Vinita Upset; 5—Dusty Roads; 8—Homespun, Swift Action, Hi Henry.

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By LOUELLA PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 18 — Ann Sothern's getting all her best Christmas presents in advance. I mean, the nicest things are breaking for Ann and they aren't tied up in green and red ribbons. She's made up with Bob Sterling for one thing, and for another—she gets her best role in a long time opposite Alexander Knox in "Indian Summer" at RKO. Of course, "Maisie" Sothern is on loan-out from M-G-M.

Jinx Falkenburg

"Indian Summer" has a story that intrigues me. It's about a small town judge who gets a chance to take a little fling from his prosaic life (perfectly moral, of course, you Johnston office boys). The pretty waitress who brings the "summer" into his life is Annie and somehow this sounds a little like Hollywood's answer to "Brief Encounter," the charming English picture. Boris Ingster wrote and will direct the movie when it rolls after the first of the year.

I talked with Victoria Mix, widow of the late cowboy star, today and she told me that her estranged husband, Major Earl Robinson, was nursing her back to health. She's had the flu and has been very sick. Robbie has been one of Beverly Hills' best known play boys and I didn't know that he and Victoria were married and divorced. She says it is not a reconciliation but they are just very good friends. When Tom separated from Victoria he gave her a fortune. He was always crazy about her and the lush days when she was the mistress of the famous Mix palace, have never been equalled in our town.

Chatter in Hollywood: This is the first time I've ever known anyone, or knew anybody who knew anyone who was married on the "Bride And Groom" program. But it seems it's being done by some of our best people. For instance, on Friday, January 3, Jinx Falkenburg's brother, Tom, is marrying Bernice Allred, a fashion model from Mississippi. The bride-to-be, who is 21, met Tom last June at the Tennis Club. She was sitting at the snack bar, on account of she doesn't like tennis, and met Tom, who is the tennis champion. But from now on, she promises to like tennis. For being married on this program, Mr. and Mrs. Falkenburg get all sorts of presents, including a wedding trip.

You must say for Republic, once they decide to promote a star Herb Yates goes all the way. He did more than right by Gene Autry, Roy Rogers, John Wayne and Judy Canova, when she was their bright and shining comedienne. Now the lad in the Republic spotlight is John Carroll. Yates bought his contract from M-G-M, and is now spending money to get good material for him. The first evidence of this is the $75,000 laid down on the line for the privilege of starring John in "Don Candelles" by Rex Beach.

Snapshots of Hollywood collected at random: Sara Hamilton will soon be the youngest grandmother in captivity. Her daughter, Sally, married to Larry Oppenheimer, is expecting a baby. Larry is the son of Mrs. Jules Stein, which makes Doris a grandmother, too, and a pretty one. . . . Josephine Baker is marrying Jo Bouillion, white leader of a French swing orchestra. They will be married in South America, according to a clipping sent me from Paris quoting the bridegroom-to-be. . . . Peggy Ryan is wearing an engagement ring put on her finger by Jimmy Cross, 20th actor. . . . Van Johnson's father is not coming to live with him, even though Van has invited him to do so. The elder Johnson says Providence is home, and he wants to stay there. . . . Jennifer Jones's younger son has the chicken pox, and she won't be here for Christmas. . . . Edgar Bergen, Hoagy Carmichael and Edward Robinson, all amateur artists, painted Marian Carr as their conception of "The Insomnia Girl"—the girl who keeps men awake. I suspect Ross Shattuck, who is their teacher, saw to it that Marian's beauty wasn't too much distorted. . . . Director Le Borg, who filed a divorce suit charging his wife, Keith Ferguson, with cruelty, has changed his mind. He is reconciled and they are blissfully happy. . . . The Bernie Milligans are expecting their fourth child, a daughter, says Bernie, since all the others are girls. . . . Louise Allbritton flies east tomorrow to spend Christmas with her husband, Charles Collingswood. . . . The Beverly Tyler-Tom Drake romance is sizzling. . . . Sam Jaffe's daughter, Naomi, joins the staff of Look. Goodness, it seems like yesterday that she was playing in the sand on the beach at Malibu. . . . Artie Shaw introduces Kathleen as Miss Winsor—maybe he wants to be proper. That's all today.

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38—Lost and Found

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39—Miscellaneous

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43—Personals

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Executor's Sale of Valuable Residential Property Located at 327-329 Race Street, Cumberland, Maryland, and Adjoining Lot.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in the Will of Charles Gunter, deceased, I will offer at public sale to the highest bidder upon the premises, 327-329 Race Street, Cumberland, Maryland, on

Saturday, January 11, 1947, At 2:00 O'clock P. M.

the following described parcels of real estate:

First Parcel:

All that lot or parcel of ground situated and lying on Race Street in the City of Cumberland, the same being all of Lot No. 49 and part of Lot No. 50 in South Side Addition to Cumberland ,and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the North side of Fourth Street and the west side of Race Street and running thence with Race Street north eighteen degrees thirty four minutes east (N. 18° 45' E) thirty four and three-tenths feet (34.3); then parallel with Fourth Street north seventy-one degrees and twenty-six minutes West (N. 71° 26' W) one hundrer feet (100.00) to the East side of Wendell Alley; then with that alley, South eighteen degrees and thirty-four minutes West (S 18° 45' W) thirty-four and three-tenths feet (34.2) to Fourth Street and with that street South seventy-one degrees and twenty-six minutes East (S. 71° 26' E.) one hundred feet (100.00) to the beginning. It being all of the property conveyed to Charles Gunter, et ux., by Arthur H. Amick, et ux., by deed dated August 16, 1909, recorded in Liber 105, folio 57, one of the Land Records of Allegany County, and a part of the property conveyed to Charles Gunter, et ux., by Arthur H. Amick, et ux., by deed February 26, 1920, recorded in Liber 131, folio 702, one of the Land Records aforesaid.

The above parcel of land is improved by a large double block frame dwelling house containing fourteen rooms converted into four apartments; one apartment contains five rooms and bath; the other three apartments each containing three rooms and bath.

Second Parcel:

All that lot or parcel of ground situated and lying on Race Street in the City of Cumberland, known and designated as part of Lot No. 50 in South Side Addition to Cumberland, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning for the same on the West side of Race Street, at a point North eighteen degrees thirty-four minutes East (N. 18° 34' E.) thirty-four and three-tenths feet (34.3) from the intersection of Race Street and Fourth Street and running thence with the West Side of Race Street, North eighteen degrees and thirty-four minutes East (N. 18° 34' E.) thirty-three and eight-tenths feet (33.8); thence North seventy-one degrees and forty-three minutes West (N. 71° 43' W.) one hundred feet (100.00) to the East side of Wendell Alley, thence with said alley, South eighteen degrees and thirty-four minutes West (S. 18° 34' W.) thirty-three and three-tenths feet (33.3), thence South seventy-one degrees and twenty-six minutes East (S. 71° 26' E.) one hundred feet (100.00) to the place of beginning. It being part of the same lot conveyed by Arthur H. Amick, et ux., to Charles Gunter, et ux., by deed dated February 26, 1920, recorded in Liber 131, folio 702, one of the Land Records aforesaid.

The above parcel consists of a lot adjoining the above described "First Parcel", and is improved by a three-car garage.

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Contenders For Welterweight Title On Radio

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, Dec. 19—Box fighting of championship caliber is to come up in the ABC roster Friday night, at the usual 10 o'clock time. Contenders are Ray Robinson and Tommy Bell, with the welterweight crown in the balance.

At present there is no titleholder, so that means both men are contenders. And in making the announcement, ABC said it was a "long-awaited affair." Being in the championship category, the scheduling is for 15 rounds.

Another quota of pre-Christmas programs is on the network agenda, like this:

MBS: 11:30 a. m.—Army Air forces Christmas greeting from Gen. Carl A. Spaatz.

NBC: 1:30 p. m.—Rutgers University choir, 60 male voices.

MBS: 1:30—Normandie Caroleers, 26 voices from St. Louis.

The Radio Clock

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

All times PM eastern standard. To change to central standard subtract one hour; to mountain standard subtract two hours.

Times listed are those supplied by networks. Relay times by local stations, may vary in some instances.

5:15—Portia Facing Life Drama—nbc
School of the Air Continued—cbs
The Sky King (Repeat at 6:15)—abc
Superman (Repeat at 6:15)—mbs
5:30—Just Plain Bill, Dramatic—nbc
J. C. Flippin Quiz, Half-Hour—cbs
Jack Armstrong (Repeat 6:30)—abc
Capt. Midnight (Repeat 6:30)—mbs
Repeat of the Sea Hound—mbs-west
5:45—Front Page Farrell, Serial—nbc
Tennessee Jed (Repeat 6:45)—abc
Tom Mix (Repeated at 6:45)—mbs
Repeat of Buck Rogers—mbs-west
6:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
News Period for 15 Minutes—cbs
Walter Kiernan and News—abc-east
Terry Serial in a Repeat—abc-west
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—America Serenade; Sports—nbc
Report from Washington, News—cbs
To Be Announced (30 M.)—abc-east
6:30—Red Barber & Sports Time—cbs
6:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary—cbs
Allen Prescott 15 Minutes—abc-east
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Mystery Drama for the Week—cbs
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., in Comment—mbs
7:15—News & Comment of World—abc
Jack Smith and Series for Song—cbs
Raymond Swing and Comment—abc
Dancing Music Orch. (15 Min.)—mbs
7:30—Songs from Carolyn Gilbert—nbc
Meredith Willson & Orchestra—cbs
Lone Ranger's Drama of West—abc
Henry J. Taylor in Comment—mbs
7:45—H. V. Kaltenborn Comment—nbc
Bill Brandt in Sports Comment—mbs
8:00—The Paul Lavalle Melody—nbc
Fanny Brice as Baby Snooks—cbs
Court of Missing Heirs, Drama—abc
Burl Ives for Recorded Songs—mbs
8:15—Monica Lewis Makes Music—nbc
8:30—Alan Young Comedy Show—abc
Adventures of the Thin Man—cbs
This is F.B.I., Dramatic Series—abc
Love Story Theater in Dramas—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—People Are Funny in Stunts—abc
Ginny Simms & Her Variety—cbs
Break the Bank, a Quiz Show—abc
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Drama Series—mbs
9:30—Abe Lyman's Waltz Time—nbc
Moore and Durante in Comedy—cbs
The Sheriff's Detective Drama—abc
Bulldog Drummond Adventures—mbs
9:55—Five Minutes Sports Spot—abc
10:00—Mystery Theater Mysteries—nbc
It Pays to Be Ignorant, "Quiz"—cbs
Bout, R. Robinson-Tommy Bell—abc
Spotlight on America, Drama—mbs
10:30—Bill Stern's Sport Series—abc
Ann Sothern's Maisie Drama—cbs
Meet the Press in Interviews—mbs
10:45—Weekly Talk Time 15 Min.—nbc
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
The Supper Club Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dance, 2 h.—cbs-abc
News, Dance Band Shows, 2 h.—mbs
11:15—Variety & News to 1 a.m.—nbc

WTBO Highlights

7:00 Yawn Patrol.
7:30 News.
7:45 Reveille Round-Up (NBC).
8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC).
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:45 News.
9:00 Honeymoon in New York (NBC).
9:30 Morning Meditations.
9:45 Nelson Olmsted (NBC).
10:00 Music for Friday.
10:30 Road of Life (NBC).
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M.D. (NBC).
11:00 Fred Waring Show (NBC).
11:30 Jack Berch Show (NBC).
11:45 Music at Mid-Day.
12:15 Mid-Day News.
12:45 Words and Music (NBC).
1:00 Sketches in Melody (NBC).
1:45 Robert McCormick (NBC).
2:00 Today's Children (NBC).
2:15 Woman in White (NBC).
2:27 Masquerade (NBC).
2:40 Betty Crocker (NBC).
2:45 Jimmy Dorsey and His Band.
3:00 Life Can Be Beautiful (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 News.
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Moods in Music.
5:15 Parent-Teachers Program.
5:30 News.
5:45 Melody Moments.
6:00 News (NBC).
6:15 Serenade to America (NBC).
6:30 The Sportsman's Corner.
6:45 Winnie The Wave.
7:00 The Supper Club (NBC).
7:15 News of the World (NBC).
7:30 Treasury Salute.
7:45 H. V. Kaltenborn (NBC).
8:00 Bing Crosby.
8:30 The Allan Young Show (NBC).
9:00 People Are Funny (NBC).
9:30 Waltz Time (NBC).
10:00 The Mystery Theatre (NBC).
10:30 Here's To Veterans.
10:45 Talk by Assistant Secretary of War Howard C. Petersen (NBC)
11:00 News from NBC (NBC).
11:15 Harkness of Washington (NBC).
11:30 The World's Great Novels (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

ABC: 4:30—The Chariot Wheels, 25-voice Negro group from Atlanta, Ga.

As the 10:45 speaker on NBC Howard C. Peterson, assistant secretary of war, is to talk about "Displaced Persons In Germany."

Part IV and the last Episode of Thackeray's "Vanity Fair" will be dispensed in the Great Novels time of NBC at 11:30 . . . Joy Lysle, an 18-year-old violinist, is to be Meredith Wilson's CBS guest at 7:30. She's a friend of Paulena Carter, 16-year-old concert pianist, recently added to program as a regular.

Man Is Fined $10 On Burning Charge

Pleading guilty to violating the State Department of Forests and Parks Regulation 4 which prohibits brush burning before 4 p. m., James Jones, Route 4, Cumberland, was fined $10 and costs Wednesday morning in Trial Magistrates Court by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew.

Forester Brook Bodkin obtained the warrant for Jones's arrest after he refused to extinguish his fire despite a warning, court attaches said. Bodkin himself extinguished the fire.

Two assault charges against Charles William Billmyer, Columbia street, preferred by Lester E. Courtney, were dismissed by Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr.

Courtney accused Billmyer of releasing the air from two tires of his automobile on December 11, court attaches said. They added that Billmyer also was accused of following Courtney to his home the following night to throw rocks through the windows of the house. The magistrate said it was dark at the time of the second incident and that Courtney was unable to identify Billmyer as the man who threw the rocks. No blows were struck in either case, he stated.

A Wild Agapanthus Is Terrifying

SYDNEY, Australia. (AP)—A few miles out of Albury, New South Wales, a cattle man with a sense of humor has put up a large notice "Beware of the Agapanthus. Do Not Run." The agapanthus, of course, is a bulb, commonly known as the Star of Bethlehem, but the notice succeeds in scaring away unscholarly tramps.

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Westernport Police Capture Two Armed Bandits

Arrest Follows Holdup Of Kern's Grocery Store

Men Are Identified As Pair Who Held Up Norris Grocery Store Here Last Saturday Night

Westernport police captured two armed bandits last night about 7:15 shortly after they held up and robbed Howard Kerns' Grocery Store, Rock and Hammond street, Westernport, obtaining about $40 cash.

Identified by County Investigator Terrance J. Boyle as Harry Schimminger, 36, of McCoole, and Robert Logue, 42, of Meyersdale, Pa., the men are also connected with the robbery of Lloyd Norris and two women at the Lloyd Norris Grocery, 401 Pennsylvania avenue last Saturday night, police said.

The pair were brought to the county jail here about 10:30 p. m. and questioned by Boyle and Sheriff Edward R. Muir and Deputies Edgar M. Lewis, William Izat and William Orr. They admitted the Westernport robbery but denied the robbery of the Norris Grocery. Norris, who was in the sheriff's office as the men were brought in for questioning, positively identified the pair as the men who robbed his store of $250 cash and took $57 from one woman customer and a dollar from another.

Hanlon Get Call

According to Westernport Chief of Police Burza Hanlon, he received a call at his office on Washington street there about 7 p. m. yesterday that the Kern's Grocery had just been held up and robbed. The car, an old model, was headed in the direction of his office. Patrolman, Earl Hawk, ran outside and saw a car approaching. He hailed it, but the driver attempted to run him down, he reported. Chief Hanlon and Hawk went after the vehicle in a police car, chasing it about a mile to a point near Harry Reeves' garage. The car was forced to the side of the road and one man later identified as Schimminger was arrested.

Police had noticed a man walking along the road so Patrolman Hawk, using Reeves' pick-up truck, went back, overtook him and arrested him. He was later identified as Logue. It also developed that when he jumped from the fleeing automobile, he either dropped or threw away a .32 calibre pistol reported in both hold-ups. The pistol was found by one of the officers.

Schimminger was also armed with a home-made blackjack, Chief Hanlon said. It was about 10 inches long and made from a piece of what the chief described as "old welding cable."

Chief Hanlon said the men had $35.22 on them which was evidently taken at Kerns' store. He said their car has not yet been searched and the ownership has not been identified, but this will be done today.

Tried Twice To Hang Self

After the pair was taken to the Westernport jail, and authorities there were communicating by telephone with county authorities here, Logue attempted to commit suicide, officers said. They added that he tried to hang himself with his belt and was found in an unconscious condition, hanging from the bars of the door by Walter Riley, Westernport fireman. Logue was cut down and revived and it was decided to bring both men to the county jail at once.

Chief Hanlon was accompanied here by Chief of the Westernport Fire Company William Mayles and two firemen, Harry Hackett and Walter Riley.

After being confined to the county jail, awaiting the arrival of Investigator Boyle who questioned them, Logue made a second attempt to take his own life, police said, adding that this time he tried to hang or strangle himself with his shoe laces. He was discovered by other prisoners in the county jail, and Deputy Sheriff "Scotty" Orr reached him in time that he could be revived.

Admit Kerns Robbery

Logue was the first questioned by Boyle. He was reluctant to talk and gave little more than his name, age and address. The men protested at first that they had not been together, but later admitted they were.

After Logue was returned to his cell, minus his belt and shoe strings,

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Schmidt Baking Company Plans $40,000 Addition

Extra Bakery Space Will Be Provided In New Second Story

H. A. MacMannis, manager of the Schmidt Baking Company, secured a permit in the city engineer's office yesterday to build a second-story addition to the existing bakery at 800 Frederick street, at an estimated cost of $40,000.

The addition, to be used entirely for baking purposes in handling the company's expanding business, will measure 80 by 104 feet and will be one story high. It will be located over the part of the present plant which is now used as a bakery, MacMannis said. The present one-story building measures approximately 210 by 100 feet, containing a bakery, packing floor, garage, tractor-trailer space and office quarters.

Brick walls and a roof of precast concrete slab covered with built-in roofing will be used for the addition. The George F. Haselwood Company is the contractor.

Work To Start Soon

MacMannis said that work is expected to start next Monday, although building of the addition and installation of new equipment will probably not be completed before late spring. He indicated the possibility that more employes may be hired next year.

Among new equipment to be installed is a "traveling oven", which has a capacity equivalent to four of the ovens now in use at the plant, the manager said. It is expected to install the new oven, said to be the first to be put in use in this area, January 2.

The Schmidt Baking Company several months ago requested the relocation of an alley leading off Pearre avenue at the rear of the plant so that an addition to the building could be constructed on a vacant lot there.

On August 19 the Mayor and City ing the alley, at the request of the Council passed an ordinance closcompany, and a group of Pearre avenue property owners filed a petition in Circuit Court, asking an injunction against the Mayor and Council and asserting that the ordinance was illegal and that the city officials violated the municipal charter in approving the ordinance.

Former Associate Judge Walter C. Capper, on the bench at that time, signed an order for the council to show cause on or before October 21 why the injunction should not be granted. In the meantime, the court enjoined the Mayor and Council from enforcing the ordinance.

Under terms of the ordinance, a three-man commission was appointed to award damages, but the commission delayed its proceedings after the injunction was filed.

William A. Gunter, attorney for the property owners, said last night that the injunction was continued indefinitely by agreement of counsel, including Charles Z. Heskett, city attorney; William C. Walsh and Thomas B. Finan, representing the baking company, and himself.

In view of the fact that the company has apparently abandoned plans to build an addition at the rear of the plant, Gunter said that the injunction will be withdrawn if the Mayor and Council repeal the ordinance.

Other Permits Granted

Cristoforo Columba Societa, represented by its president, John Basile, secured a permit yesterday to build a two-story addition to the rear of its present building at 110 North Mechanic street, for use as added clubroom space.

The addition, estimated to cost $3,000, will measure 14 by 28 feet, with a concrete foundation, brick walls and a built-up slag roof. Work will be done by Walter Smith, 535 Central avenue.

S. L. Miles, representing the Miles Appliance and Service Company, 31 North Mechanic street, secured a permit to use the first story of a two-story brick building at 158 North Centre street for electrical appliance sales and service. The owner is George Brown, 207 North

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Liquor Dealers Adjust Prices After Meeting

Retailers Attend Conference Requested With News On Differences In Cost Of Products Here And In Baltimore; Tie-in Sales Here Are Cited As Principal Factor In Cost

Liquor prices more in line with suggested prices by Baltimore distributors are being published in The Cumberland News today by four Cumberland liquor dealers as the result of a conference with The News yesterday over the differences in prices of standard grade whiskies here and in Baltimore.

The conference was requested by the liquor dealers after The News on Wednesday began a survey of liquor prices in this city after it had been brought to the attention of The News that Baltimore prices were in many respects much lower than those prevailing here.

The dealers, who conferred with The News at the request of the Allegany County Liquor Dealers Association, said, however, that they cannot meet Baltimore prices on bonded whiskies because of conditions.

They referred especially to tie-in-sales, whereby they purchase hard-to-move and poorer quality products in order to obtain scarce bonded and higher grade whiskies, as the principal cause of higher prices on top quality products.

Get Larger Supplies

In Baltimore, the local dealers said, retail distributors are able to purchase larger supplies of top grade whiskies and need not accept poorer quality products.

They pointed out that salesmen do not compel local dealers to accept poor quality and hard-to-move items, but explained that if they wish to purchase bonded and other top grade whiskies the salesman "reminds" them he has wines and poorer products to go along with the better goods.

One local dealer said he bought 150 cases of wine in order to purchase 40 cases of good whisky. Another dealer said he purchased 100 cases of wine in order to buy a small quantity of good whisky.

They explained that because the poorer grade products and hard-to-move items won't sell it is necessary to ask a higher price for the good products in order to "make out" on the transaction.

Another factor they cited is that quotas of standard brand whiskies to local retail distributors are much smaller than those to Baltimore retail outlets. Baltimore dealers, they said, are able to operate on a smaller profit margin because of the greater supply and the consequent greater volume of business.

Supply Is Limited

On some select brands, such as Four Roses and Canadian Club, the supply in Cumberland is so limited, the local dealers said, that 65 per cent of the retail outlets have none at all to sell.

Another item to be considered in studying differences in prices here and in Baltimore, the dealers said, is a freight charge of 50 to 60 cents a case when purchases are made from certain distributors. Other distributors, however, pay freight charges on orders of three or more cases.

Such brands as Four Roses have been retailing here for as high as $4.60 a fifth, but the four liquor dealers will advertise that particular brand today for $4.35 a fifth.

Canadian Club whiskey here has been selling anywhere from $6 to $10 a fifth, but Baltimore distributors said "the whiskey is not worth that price." They suggest a retail price of $5.59.

Scotch has been selling here from $10 to $12 a fifth but Baltimore distributors said the better grades are being sold in Baltimore at $8.50 to $8.75 a fifth. The distributors attributed the continuing high cost of Scotch in Baltimore to a scarcity of the product but said the price is dropping because Scotch drinkers are moving away from the city. Local dealers said they can buy but little Scotch.

Local dealers also pointed to the fact that Baltimore has lost some 200,000 of its wartime boom population, but said Baltimore dealers are still receiving their boom-time quotas of whiskies and Scotch, giving them a satisfactory supply.

One Baltimore distributor said that the reduction in population there and the satisfactory supply of whiskey has brought about a price war on whiskies and consequently some retailers are selling at prices below the suggested price.

Adhere To Prices

Other distributors said Baltimore retailers respect their suggested prices and adhere to them rigidly.

One distributor told The News, "We suggest these prices and we'd like to see them adhered to."

Another distributor said the suggested prices are high enough that the retailer gets about a 22 per cent mark up over the wholesale price.

While the Cumberland dealers are not advertising price lists on top quality products such as Old Forester, Old Overholt, Old Crow and Old Taylor, a survey of some local liquor stores showed prices ranging from $7 to $7.50 a fifth. Baltimore distributors placed a suggested price on those products of $6.83 a fifth.

In order to give readers the opportunity to compare prices on standard brands of whiskies being advertised here, the following table was prepared from five liquor advertisements being published in local papers today:

Brand	Liquor Dealer	Fisher and Robinette	Potomac Fruit Mkt.	Lucky's Place	Cumb. Liquor Store	Sug. Price
3 Feathers	3.98	3.95	3.95	3.95	3.98	3.93
Calvert Reserve	3.95	4.20		3.95		3.95
Seagrams 7	3.95	4.20		3.95		
Schenley	3.95			3.95	3.98	3.99
Four Roses	4.35			4.35		4.33
Hunter	4.35			4.30	4.35	4.25
Taylor Martin	4.35					
Lord Calvert	4.59			4.50	4.59	4.59
Carstairs 1788	4.49				4.60	4.49
Kinsey	3.98	3.95		3.95	3.98	
Philadelphia	3.98	3.95	3.95	3.95	3.98	
King (Black Label)	3.98				3.98	3.95
Imperial	3.49	3.75	3.50	3.47		3.48
Paul Jones	3.49			3.49		
Lansdowne	3.95	3.96				
Corby	3.49					
Harwood's	6.44					
Roamer		3.60		3.25		
Park, Tilford		3.70	3.63	3.63		3.60
P. M.		3.70	3.65	3.45		3.56

HE WALKED AWAY—This J-3 Piper Cub trainer from the Cumberland Municipal Airport crashed yesterday afternoon on farm on the east side of Sideling Hill, about 30 miles from Cumberland. The pilot, Earl Louis Jewell, 19-year-old Navy veteran walked away with little more than a broken arm. Shown in the picture, (left to right) are Mrs. Millard F. Boden, Jr., Nellie Meyers, Edda Pickering and David Boden. The child is Faith Anne Pickering. All of these people were just across the road in David Boden's home when the plane narrowly missed the house and crashed in the field, after striking a high voltage electric line.

"Y" Drive Total Is Now $47,968, Robinson Reports

Each of the 30 members of the board of directors of Central YMCA was requested last night by Edmund S. Burke, president of the "Y," to continue efforts to secure sustaining memberships in the organization's campaign to raise $58,000 for modernization and mortgage retirement purposes.

John J. Robinson, campaign chairman, reported to the board that the total received to date, including contributions and sustaining memberships, amounts to $47,968, adding that reports are still incomplete.

The advance gifts section reports $33,022; national firms $210; classified $7,056; organizations $6,150, and the women's section $1,530. The classified and women's sections have already exceeded their individual quotas.

A final report on the campaign will be made at the annual dinner of the association, to be held in the YMCA gymnasium Tuesday, January 28, at 6:15 p. m.

Burke named a special committee on arrangements for the dinner, consisting of Lloyd Rawlings, chairman; Rev. William A. Eisenberger, and Victor D. Heisey.

Results of the election of 10 persons to the board of directors to fill terms expiring this year will also be announced at the dinner. Charles A. Piper, chairman of the nominating committee, gave the group's report to the board last night, but the names of those nominated were not disclosed. Other members of the committee are James W. Bishop, Mrs. George N. Phillippi, George F. Hazelwood and Mrs. Jessie White.

W. Spencer Miller, Jr., Trenton, N. J., a member of the New Jersey State Legislature, will be the guest speaker at the annual dinner.

The board passed a resolution thanking Robinson and the members of his campaign organization for their efforts during the drive.

Drug Stores Firm Buys Greene-Lee Street Building

Lester R. Martin, secretary and general manager of Ford's Drug Stores, Incorporated, announced yesterday that his firm has purchased the two-story brick building at the corner of Greene and South Lee streets, where one of the stores is located now, from the John Gordon estate at a purchase price in excess of $18,000.

The building contains two apartments, one of which is located above the drug store. Martin said that no immediate plans for changes, improvements or alterations to the building have been made.

J. K. Ford, who died in 1936, operated a drug store at that location for several years prior to his death. Martin's firm became incorporated several years ago to purchase a chain of Ford's stores from his widow, including the Greene and Lee street store and establishments on Baltimore avenue, Baltimore street, North Centre street and in Frostburg. His name was used in the firm's corporation title.

The Centre street store was formerly located at the corner of Bedford street, but later the store was moved to its present location at 54 North Centre street, where the offices and warehouse are also located.

DEATHS

MRS. ELIZABETH BRANNON

MT. SAVAGE, Dec. 19 — Mrs. Elizabeth Brannon, 79, widow of William Brannon, died early this evening at her home, Railroad street, Mt. Savage, after a brief illness.

She was a native of Mt. Savage, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Farrell and was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church here.

She is survived by seven children, John William, Joseph and Eugene Brannon and Mrs. B. Bell, all of Washington, D. C.; James T. Brannon and Mrs. John Deffenbaugh, both of Mt. Savage, and Earl Brannon, Cumberland; two sisters, Mrs. Ella Tressman, Frostburg, and Mrs. K. Cain, Rochester, N. Y., one brother, Thomas Farrell, Mt. Savage, and 15 grandchildren.

MRS. SHROYER RITES

Funeral services for Mrs. Cora Mae Shroyer, 72, widow of Lewis D. Shroyer, who died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Ellsworth, LaVale, were conducted yesterday at 2 p. m. at the home.

Rev. J. L. Stewart, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiated and interment was in Greenmount Cemetery. Palibearers, all grandsons, were Zane, Lawrence J., Dewey, Charles T. and Danny Shroyer and Donald Ellsworth.

MRS. HERSHBERGER RITES

Last rites for Mrs. Florence Hershberger, 55, wife of Raymond E. Hershberger, 35 Knobley street, Ridgeley, who died Wednesday in Memorial Hospital, will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. in Ridgeley Calvary Methodist Church by Rev. Robert L. Greynolds, pastor. Interment will be in Zion Memorial Burial Park.

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Student Flyer Crashes Near Little Orleans

Earl Louis Jewell, 19, Escapes With Fractured Wrist; Plane Hit High Tension Line

Earl Louis Jewell, 19, RFD No. 1, Homewood Addition, a student pilot at Cumberland Municipal Airport and Navy veteran, walked away from a plane crash near Little Orleans yesterday afternoon, after the motor failed and the plane hit a high power electric line while attempting to land in a wheat field. He suffered only a fracture of his left wrist.

Jewell, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jewell, Homewood Addition, has been taking a flight training course at Municipal Airport under the GI Bill of Rights training program.

The crash occurred between 1:15 and 1:20 p. m. on the farm of Millard F. Boden, Sr., just across the lane from the home of David Boden, east of Sideling Hill. David Boden, his nephew Millard F. Boden, Jr., Mrs. Anna Belle Boden, Nellie Meyers of Canton, Ohio, Mrs. Edda Pickering and her small daughter Faith Anne Pickering were in David Boden's house when they heard a plane apparently having motor trouble. They ran outside, just as the plane came low over the house, struck the electric line almost in front of the front door, and nosed into the field across the lane.

Hit 2200 Volt Line

Mrs. Boden said she and her husband Millard F. Boden, Jr., started through the wire fence to get to the plane, but the electric line which carries 2,200 volts had dropped onto the fence and charged the fence wire. Mrs. Boden declared, "I had just washed my hair and had wrapped a scarf around my head. I had my fur coat on. When I touched the wire fence to crawl through, my coat just jumped off me and I could feel my hair stand on end." She said she was able to get away from the fence, but exhibited a burn on her forearm, showing the mark of the wire. She said she knocked her coat off the fence with a stick, and when she picked it up to put it on, it was turned inside out.

Mr. and Mrs. Boden then went around the fence and ran to Jewell who was crawling from the wrecked plane. Mrs. Boden said he seemed dazed and kept holding his side and his left arm. The other guests at the Boden home also offered assistance and Jewell was taken to the Boden house.

When they started through the fence again, Jewell, who was not aware that it was electrically charged, became hung up on it.

Pulled Clear Of Fence

He was severely shocked and was unable to break away. Boden grabbed Jewell by his leather jacket and pulled him loose.

Boden took Jewell in his truck to Piney Grove, where Dr. J. A. Watson gave him emergency treatment and sent him to Memorial hospital here. He was admitted to the hospital for x-ray and treatment at 2:56 p. m. Attendants there said he did not remain as a patient and after receiving medical attention returned to his home early last night.

At Cumberland Airport, officials said Jewell was checked out shortly after 1 p. m. on a routine flight for training and was flying a J-3 Piper cub owned by the Cumberland Airways, Inc., Harry Flook, Jr., in charge at the field said the plane was the newest trainer at the port and had been in the air only about 200 hours. It was purchased about a month ago.

When Jewell left the port, he was flying the ship from the rear seat and was alone. Another ship, piloted by another student Don Smith of South Cumberland, accompanied him on the "doing flight time" trip. Smith saw the crash and sped back to the port to report it.

Rumor Of Second Crash

Kenneth Jewell, a cousin of Earl Jewell, took off in another Piper Cub and began looking for the crashed ship. Kenneth landed his plane about five miles away in a field across the road from Shipway's Inn, starting rumors in that section that there had been another crash. After Kenneth had determined that the crash was farther east, he took off again and located the wreck. He returned to the airport and accompanied by Flook flew back to the scene and landed in an adjacent field on Foster's farm.

Flook and Jewell inspected the wrecked ship and returned to the port after determining that Earl Jewell had not been seriously hurt and was on his way to receive medical attention.

When questioned by a reporter, Earl Jewell said he believed his arm was broken when he was thrown against the back of the front seat. He said he was thrown through the

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Delaney Named Rehabilitation Head In County

Central High Math Teacher Will Assume New Duties January 6

J. Leo Delaney, mathematics instructor at Central High School, Lonaconing, will resign today, to accept a position as rehabilitation counselor in Allegany and Garrett Counties, Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools, said yesterday.

Delaney, who was described by Kopp as a "very capable man who he hated to lose," will assume his new position with the State Department of Education January 6. He said he plans to have his office in the Board of Education building here.

Gets New Appointment

Until Delaney's appointment was announced Allegany and Garrett counties have been under the jurisdiction of Kenneth G. Stoner, district supervisor, who has his office in Hagerstown. The increasing amount of interest in rehabilitation work for physically handicapped persons in these two counties makes it necessary to appoint a fulltime counselor.

In his new position, the former math teacher, will investigate applications of physically handicapped persons over 16 years of age, who are seeking rehabilitation supervision and education, and make recommendations for their training and to some extent assist in job placements.

The new counselor attended Beall High School, Frostburg, and was graduated from Western Maryland College, Westminster, in 1933. He began his teaching career in 1933 in Allegany High School and was transferred to Beall High, Frostburg, in 1939.

On May 5, 1941, Delaney was granted a leave of absence to permit him to enter the military service. During World War II he served with the Fourth Infantry Division and rose to the rank of lieutenant colonel. He landed on Utah Beach, France on "D" day of the European invasion.

Served In Europe

As the war progressed, Delaney served in France, Belgium, Luxenberg, and Germany. He was relieved from active duty in October, 1945 and was assigned as mathematics instructor at Central High School.

In addition to his mathematics course, Delaney has acted as an advisor to veterans taking correspondence courses under the GI Bill of Rights. He conducts classes at Fort Hill High School two nights a week.

Before assuming his new duties as counselor, he will take indoctrination courses in Hagerstown and Baltimore.

At present he resides at 110 Loo street, Frostburg, with his family.

Kopp said yesterday Delaney will be succeeded at Central by Mrs. Margaret Ketter, who is substituting in the English Department at Fort Hill School at the present time.

Fort Ashby Woman Is Hit By Truck

Mrs. Mary Sanders, 30, wife of Paul Sanders, Fort Ashby, W. Va., was admitted to Allegany Hospital last night at 6:30 o'clock for treatment of a possible fracture of the right arm suffered, she told attaches,, when she was struck by a Swift and Company truck after she walked out of Porter's Restaurant on North Mechanic street.

Police said the driver of the truck, Thomas Kimmell, 220 Utah street, told Officer J. Carl Stouffer the accident occurred as he was backing the truck into the alley by the restaurant. Kimmell took the injured woman to the hospital immediately, police said.

The driver told hospital attaches he did not know exactly how the accident occurred, adding another man was directing him as he backed the vehicle. Police said Mrs. Sanders compalined of pains of the right shoulder and chest when she was taken to the hospital.

Clarence W. Mellott, 48, Route 3, Valley road, was treated in Allegany Hospital yesterday at 8:45 p. m. for a fractured nose. He told attaches an intoxicated man struck him as he was going into a local restaurant.

Capt. Deuel, Author And Explorer, Engaged To Speak At Graduations

Former Air Corps Pilot Will Address Commencement Classes In June

An outstanding author, scientist and explorer, who served as an Air Corps pilot during World War II, was named yesterday as one of the speakers for Allegany County public high school graduation exercises in June.

Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools, said he has contracted Capt. John Vanderveer Deuel, author of "Speed Wings" and "White Cayuca" both best sellers, to address several of the graduating classes in the county June 12 and 13.

700 To Be Graduated

Approximately 700 students who are now attending the senior classes in the 12 county high schools are expected to receive their diplomas during the week of June 8, Kopp said.

Capt. Deuel, who recently returned from 33 months duty as senior pilot and staff officer with the Army Air Force, is a widely read author and a recognized authority on aeronautics.

He speaks five languages and has many personnel friends among the

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COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER —An outstanding author, scientist and explorer, Capt. John Vanderveer Deuel, was named yesterday by Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools, as one of the speakers for graduation exercises in Allegany County Public High Schools in June. He will speak on "Youth Faces A New World."

Frostburg Linemen To Vote On Union

An election will be held Wednesday, January 8, from 5 to 5:30 p. m. at Frostburg line department headquarters, Grant street, Frostburg, by 24 employes of the Frostburg line department of the Potomac Edison Company to ascertain representatives for collective bargaining.

The employes will vote on whether they desire to be represented by the Utility Workers Union of America, CIO. Line foremen and clerical workers will be excluded, according to James H. Dean, president of Local 331 of the Utility Workers.

Attending the meeting, besides Dean, were John Stewart, Frostburg district manager; J. Everett Grose, Frostburg line superintendent; Reginald Brown, Pittsburgh, director of Region 2 of the Utility Workers; Fred Barela, Baltimore, field examiner for the National Labor Relations Board; and Dalton W. Hillegass, representing the Frostburg linemen.

The Potomac Edison company and the union agreed on the bargaining unit and the date of the consent election at a meeting yesterday afternoon in Hagerstown at the office of George S. Humphrey, operating vice president.

Plans Meeting Tonight

Chilcott Cresap Post No. 209, American Legion of Cresaptown, will meet today at 7 p. m. at their recently opened Legion club on the McMullen highway in Cresaptown, according to John Kammauf, commander.

Reports will be given on the progress of the membership campaign, which was started at the last meeting. The post has slightly over 100 members at present, but it is estimated that there are approximately 400 veterans in the Cresaptown area who are eligible to become members.

Following the business session, movies will be shown by Louis Borchert. All members are urged to attend.

Senator Kimble Is Admitted To Hospital

Senator Robert B. Kimble, 43, Republican, who has represented Allegany County in the Maryland Senate since 1935 and who was reelected for a seventh term in November was reported resting comfortably last night in Memorial Hospital where he was admitted yesterday morning after being transferred from Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va.

A member of the family advised the News that Senator Kimble was admitted to the Keyser hospital Tuesday after he suffered a slight heart attack in Keyser while at work as B. and O. division safety manager.

Hospital attaches said he was admitted for observation and that his condition was "about the same" last night. Senator Kimble was first elected to the House of Delegates from this county in 1933. He also is a member of the State Legislative Council.

Importance Of Home Rule Stressed By Dr. Ray In Addressing Kiwanians

Council-Manager Form Of Government Also Outlined For Members

The importance of home rule for Cumberland was stressed by Dr. Joseph M. Ray, professor and head of the Department of Government and Politics, at the University of Maryland, in an address before the Cumberland Kiwanis Club in Central YMCA yesterday at noon.

Asserting there are two considerations regarding city government which are of paramount importance to the people of Cumberland, Dr Ray named them as:

1 "Whether the people of Cumberland should be allowed to control their own affairs.

2 "Whether there is not a form of government that will give the city

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